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PRINCESS ANNE GARDEN CLUB PLANNING EXTENSIVE CLEAN - UP

Miss Elisabeth Gregory Hill, president, has announced that the Princess Anne Garden Club will hold its March meeting on Monday, March 10th, at 2:00 P. M. at the home of Mrs. C. T. Hull in Bird Neck Point.

Mrs. Ralph Pennoyer will be guest speaker and will speak on "Trees."

Exhibits will be early spring flowers, flowering shrubs and camellias.

Clean-Up Drive

Miss Hill announces that plans are underway for a county-wide clean-up. The County Board of Supervisors will cooperate to the extent of the use of a truck and with the aid of the Boy Scouts in the county an attempt will be made to clear the unsightly spots along the highways and citizens, resident garage operators, restaurant owners and other home owners are asked to follow up the initial activity and accept a personal responsibility for their premises, Miss Hill said.

VEPCO Cooperates

State Forrester Dean pointed out a dangerous fire hazard existed in the number of dead limbs and branches cut from trees by linemen of the Virginia Electric and Power Co. in clearing a right of way for wiring. Upon being informed of the danger, Miss Hill further stated, clean-up trucks were immediately despatched to carry away the dead limbs, showing their desire to cooperate with the proposed movement.

The Town Council of Virginia Beach also went on record as desiring to cooperate and every effort would be made to enforce the law concerning garbage and trash in improper recepticles.

Miss Hill said that further plans for the "campaign" would be announced at the meeting on March 10th.

SOCIAL NEWS

Dr. and Mrs. William Y. Barber returned last week to their home in Bird Neck Point after spending several weeks in Cocoa, Fla.

Mrs. Tyree Finch, of Chase City, Virginia, is spending some time at the Cavalier Hotel.

Mrs. H. R. Leonard left Thursday for Richmond to spend some time with her granddaughter, Mary Lyle Valentine, while Miss Valentine's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Valentine, are on a Southern cruise.

Tides and Sun

TIDE CALENDAR FOR VIRGINIA BEACH AND CAPE HENRY
(Reported by U. S. Weather Bureau, Cape Henry)

TIDE CALENDAR

Date	High	Low
March 7 a.m.	8:10	1:59
March 7 p.m.	8:30	2:29
March 8 a.m.	8:57	2:51
March 8 p.m.	9:19	3:18
March 9 a.m.	9:42	3:40
March 9 p.m.	10:07	3:57
March 10 a.m.	10:29	4:30
March 10 p.m.	10:57	4:42
March 11 a.m.	11:16	5:20
March 11 p.m.	11:44	5:28
March 12 a.m.		6.11
March 12 p.m.	12:01	6:14
March 13 a.m.	12:33	7:01
March 13 p.m.	12:50	7:02

Days of Week	Sun Rises	Sun Sets
Friday	6:27	6:04
Saturday	6:26	6:05
Sunday	6:24	6:06
Monday	6:23	6:07
Tuesday	6:21	6:07
Wednesday	6:20	6:08
Thursday	6:18	6:09

To obtain tides of high or low water from above times: Lynnhaven Inlet, add 20 minutes; Ocean View, add 45 minutes; Old Point, add 45 minutes; Oregon Inlet, subtract 45 minutes.

CHURCH NEWS

Methodist Church

Dr. Frank L. Wells, superintendent of the Norfolk District, Methodist Church, will preach at the Virginia Beach Methodist Church on Sunday at the evening service at 8 o'clock, according to an announcement by the Rev. Robert Forrest, pastor.

Following the service Dr. Wells will conduct the Second Quarterly Conference for the Church. The Conference will be asked to approve plans for a new church school building 48 by 73 feet of cement block and brick.

Oceana Methodist

The Rev. G. T. Forrester, of Virginia Beach, will be the guest minister for the morning service next Sunday.

A kite turnament will be held on the Oceana High School playgrounds on Friday at 3:30 P. M. Valuable prizes are offered for the best kite made by a contestant, and for the highest flying kite. The tournament is sponsored by the junior members of the Church. All boys and girls of the community under twelve years of age may enter kites for prizes.

The Junior Official Board of the Church will present "The Womanless Wedding" at the Oceana High School auditorium on Friday, March 14th.

Galilee Services

The Rector and Vestry of Galilee Church feel that they have been most fortunate in securing the Rev. Mr. George Purnell Gunn, B. D., Rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Meadowbrook, Norfolk, as guest preacher for the Wednesday evening Lenten service, March 12th, at eight o'clock.

The Rev . Mr. Gunn is well known to many residents of Virginia Beach as he has preached at Galilee Church several times in the past, and is much interested in the Youth Work of the Diocese of Southern Virginia. He is a graduate of the University of Virginia and of the Virginia Theological Seminary at Alexandria. He is a man of great ability, nd a very fine preacher.

All members and friends of Galilee Church are cordially invited and urged to come and hear him on Wednesday evening.

County Income Totals 663,800

Princess Anne County's income during 1946 totaled $663,863.20, while expenditures amounted to $638,682.09, according to a report on audit submitted by Sidney S. Kellam, treasurer, to the County Board of Supervisors.

Estimated valuations on school buildings in the county totaled $479,000, while contents were valued at $62,000. These figures were based on fire insurance policies in effect June 30, 1946. Other buildings were appraised as follows: Court house, $30,000; county offices, $30,000; jail, $4,500; sheriff's dwelling, $3,000; poor house, $2,000; pump house and station, $500.

This report was submitted to the board of supervisors in their session of February 24th.

ADVERTISE IN YOUR HOME PAPER

The well-known publication of "Advertising Age" decides that successful auto dealers must have their own sales program, and not wait for the factory to institute a drive or contest, because successful local dealers know more about the general conditions in their territory "than does the bank." Therefore, use the local papers.

Chamberlain Hotel Reverts To Prewar Civilian Status

Right of entry pending final papers of transfer and ownership of the Chamberlin Hotel at Old Point Comfort will be given to L. U. Noland of Newport News on March 15th, it was announced by C. J. Blair, Jr., War Assets Administration deputy regional director of Real Property disposal after a conference with the Navy and representatives of Mr. Noland on February 26th.

Final papers will be completed within several weeks Mr. Blair stated. Purchase price of the property was said to be $531,500.00.

Continuous operation of the famous hotel and admission of civilian guest after March 15th was guaranteed by representatives of Mr. Noland who emphasized the fact that guests now in the hotel will not be displaced.

During the war years the historic hotel was operated by the Knott Hotel Corporation who were engaged by the Navy. All employees of the hotel at present have been assured that they will be retained by the new owner.

Wednesday's conference disposed of many of the problems confronting the final transfer and continued operation of the hotel Mr. Blair stated.

Mr. oland's representatives said that there is no plan to replace any person employed at the time he takes over. Persons presently employed by the hotel will be informed of the policy of the new owner in a letter which has been prepared for distribution on Saturday, March 15th.

Sale of the hotel is contingent upon approval by the Army who own the land upon which the spar is situated. The sale is in compliance with provisions of the Surplus Property Act.

Book Club To Meet At 11 A.M. Tuesday

Mrs. Anthony, chairman of the Book Club of the Princess Anne Woman's Club, announces that Mrs. L. L. Newby, of Norfolk, will review Clayton Caldwel's book, "This Side of Innocence," at the regular meeting of the club on Tuesday, March 11th, at 11:00 A. M., in the Essex House. Mrs. Anthony wishes to call special attention to the change in hour of the meeting.

R. P. Davis Heads New Ministerial Union In County

The Protestant ministers of Princess Anne County met in a luncheon meeting Tuesday at the Lynnhaven Presbyterian Church with 16 present.

Following the meeting teh group decided to organize a Princess Anne Ministerial Union. The following officers were elected: Robert P. Davis, president; C. W. Carnan, vice president; John T. Stone, secretary and treasurer, and I. L. Llewellyn, program committee chairman. The union will meet monthly.

Contracts Let For Street Widening

Richmond—Contracts for two widening projects at Virginia Beach were awarded to the low bidder by the State Highway Commission at their meeting in Richmond on March 4th, an official announcement stated March 6th.

Birsch Construction Company, Norfolk, submitted the low bid on both projects; $43,271.07 for widening Atlantic Avenue (Route 60) to 55½ feet from 17th to 7th Streets, and $19,452.47 for widening 31st Street (Route 164) to 48 feet from Atlantic Avenue to Baltic Avenue.

Work is scheduled to begin as son as winter weather will permit, officials said, and to run approximately three months on each joo.

Jane Kornegay Makes Dean's List

Duke University named 517 students to its dean's list this week of students in Trinity College, the College of Engineering and the Woman's College who made an average of "B" or above last semester. Over two thirds of the students who were given recognition for their high scholastic averages are out-of-state students with 44 of the 449 North Carolina students living in Durham.

Among the 137 out-of-state girls included on the dean's list was Jane C. Kornegay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayde Kornegay, of 53rd Street.

Humane Ass'n. Is Short Of Goal; Plan To Continue Drive

While the Princess Anne Humane Association's Fund Drive to provide a small animal shelter and a humane officer officially closed last night $1086 short of the goal of $5,000, campaign workers decided that they would not give up until the full amount was subscribed.

R. Lee Page made a sporting proposition that he would match dollar for dollar all contributions received up to $543, one-half of the required amount, provided the goal was reached.

Grayson Willis, chairman of the fund drive, and Mrs. R. Lee Page, president of the local association, thanked campaign workers assembled at Holt's show room last week for their assistance.

It was estimated that if each and every person in the town or county who owns, or has in the past owned a pet, would contribute any amount from pennies to dollars, the proposed shelter then would be assured. Animal lovers were urged to send contributions to George Mullins, treasurer, post office Box 94, Virginia Beach.

RED CROSS

Old Magazines Wanted By Local Red Cross Chapter

The Princess Anne chapter of the Red Cross is calling for discarded magazines.

There are men in the Portsmouth Naval Hospital, N. O. B. Hospital, Little Creek Marine Barracks Convalescent Rooms, and the Coast Guard, also men on the light ships anchored in the Capes, and remote Coast Guard stations who would welcome a magazine of not too old a date.

Mrs. Arthur Winder, publicity chairman for the local chapter, requests that anyone having magazines to tie them in bundles and bring to the Red Cross headquarters and place in a box in the reception room, or call Miss Pearl Duty, executive secretary, at 938 and a member of the Motor Corps will call for them.

COUNCIL VOTES UNIT TAX ON ALL BEACH EQUIPMENT

The Virginia Beach Town Council in regular session Monday evening passed an ordinance regulating the fees to be imposed upon beach equipment amounting to $300 for the first 25 units for pieces of beach paraphernalia such as umbrellas, chairs, floats, sled and $3 for each additional unit over 25. This ordinance was up for its first reading and was referred to the committee on Monday. For several seasons this matter of beach equipment has been a matter of controversy between hotel operators and cottagel members as to a satisfactory arrangement for renting equipment for use on the beach, as well as for policing the beach.

In the most recent development prior to this meeting, a delegation from the hotel association vigorously protested an ordinance adopted on first reading January 7th, imposing a tax of $500 on 1 to 25 units, $475 additional on the next 25 to 50 units, and continuing on a proportionately descending scale to $125 for 400 units. Each additional unit was to be taxed at a rate of $1 per unit.

At that time, the council granted a request for an extension of time to allow the hotel association to study the measure and make recommendations in an effort to revise the ordinance and to enact a measure that would produce the necessary revenue for the town and at the same time safeg uard members of the association. Monday night's action was said to be in line with their request.

Other Proposals

Other proposals considered at this month's session of the council included a motion made by Fred A. Hayous to provide for the paving of the sidewalk fronting the National Bank of Commerce Building between Twenfieth and Twenty-first Streets on Atlantic Avenue.

P. F. Murray recommending that the Town endorse a request for an hour schedule of boats plying between Little Creek and Cape Charles during the coming season instead of the schedule now maintained.

A motion was also put into effect whereby large signs were to be posted on all property coming before the Zoning Board for rezoning.

Clyde Nicholson, town engineer, had several proposed projects to be presented to the council, however, they were tabled for a future meeting in order to effect an early adjournment in favor of the meeting of the W. T. Cooke P.-T. A., which coincided with the council meeting.

Tom Watson Dies In China On Eve Of Return To U. S.

Capt. Thomas Watson, USMC, one of Virginia's outstanding heroes of World War II, died in Peiping, China, last week.

A native of Thomason, Ga., Watson came to Virginia Beach as a youth and soon won wide recognition as a horseman. Later, with his wife, the former Mrs. Mary Pendleton Thraves, he moved to Logan Farms, Gardonsville, where initial word of his death was received from Marine Corps headquarters and relayed to Mrs. Watson, who is visiting in Los Angeles with a daughter by her first marriage.

With First Division

Capt. Watson enlisted in the Marine Corps at Richmond on March 12, 1942, and, after recruit training at Parris Island, was with the First Division when it landed on Guadalcanal on August 7, 1942. The action which brought him this Navy Cross occurred on September 13-14, and less than two months later (November 1-3) he was in the thick of what was known as the last battle of Mantankiona, at Kukumbona, for which he won the Silver Star.

After 24 months in the South Pacific, only seven of which was spent in rest camps, Capt. Watson was assigned to duty at Quantico, where he served as an instructor of aerial observation for several months. Later, however, he asked for overseas duty and was transferred to China where he had been stationed for the past sixteen months.

Capt. Watson, at the time of his death, was Marine public relations officer in Peiping. Earlier in his China duty, he was editor-in-chief of the North China Marine Corps News.

COUNTY REAL ESTATE REVIEW

By E. P Crockett, Jr.

Here are the property transfers recorded after last week's review:

All that's needed is a few of our special brand of perfect Spring days to bring the prospective property owners out in droves. The next few weeks will see null exhibit "for sale" signs break out all over the Beach like an attack of measles.

New homes are mushrooming on the North end of the Beach and we have been told of numbers of home builders who have their lot deeds in the bank box and the blue-prints all ready.

Interesting real estate transfers recorded during the past week:

Pauline Foote to Cyril F. Jones, Lots 10 and 12, Block 17, Terrace Avenue, Shore Acres; tax $2[illegible].

Phelan R. Vandewalker to Mellie M. Chandler and J. C. Chandler, Lot 16, Block 4, north side of 123rd Street, west of Boulevard, Section D, Cape Henry; tax $1.65.

Lewis A. Bergman and Wife to Grace H. Ross, Lot 26, Club Section of Bird Neck Point; tax $9.90.

Abe Falbaum and Shael Falbaum to Cal P. Ruey and Ida L. Drew, Lot with improvements fronting 65 feet on north side of 16th Street, west of Cypress Avenue, Town of Virginia Beach; tax $5.40.

Thomas D. Wright and Claudia L. Wright to Seaside Homes, Inc., an undivided one-half interest in a large acreage south of Rudee Inlet; tax $76.20.

G. G. Fisher and Lillie Fisher, husband and Wife, and Mildred Fisher and H. H. Fisher, her Husband, to Seaside Homes, Inc., an undivided one-half interest in a large acreage south of Rudee Inlet; also eleven lots in plot of Chesapeake-by-the-Sea; tax $45.

Helen M. Payne to L. J. Winder, Site No. 2, Alanton; tax $2.64.

George S. Brown and Wife and R. W. Simmons and Wife to Sidney J. Gregory and Kenneth R. Cramer, jointly, Lots 17 and 18, Block 102, which property consists of 100 feet fronting on Larkin Road, south side, between Pacific and Arctic; tax $6.60.

Myrle H. Smith and H. Garrett Smith, her Husband, to James Kimble Vandeman, Jr., and Sinclair Lane Vandeman, 75 feet on east side Ocean Avenue between 112th and 113th Street; tax $7.20.

Ben L. Wainger and Pearl Wainger, her Husband, to Jack Stein, Lots 17-18, Block 17, Section "E", fronting 50 feet on 104th Street; tax $6.30.

Jack Stein and Annette Stein, his Wife, and Carrie V. Williams and Helen W. Rhodes, contract 50 feet of Lot No. 17 in Block 19, on 104th Street; tax 6[illegible].

Jack Stein and Annette Stein, his Wife, to Hampton Gardens, Corp., Lot 19 and the western 40 feet of Lot 17, on the south side of 104th Street; tax $4.32.

County Building Permits

Roy E. Lemon, dwelling, Uhlmann, 32nd and Atlantic, $10,000.

Louis D. Lemon, residence, Stacy Manor, $6,500.

John Dayle, Jr., after dwelling, Uhlmann, 35th Street, Ocean side, $2,000.

Sherman Whitehurst, 12th St., after dwelling, $600.

THE OLD JUDGE SAYS...

STEVE: "How was the hospital dinner, Judge? Sorry I couldn't get there."

OLD JUDGE: "Very interesting, Steve. One of the doctors on the staff read a paper on the research work that is going on at one of the big universities where they are studying chronic alcoholism."

STEVE: "I'd like to have heard that, Judge."

OLD JUDGE: "He pointed out that approximately 95% of the people who drink do so sensibly. Only 5% abuse the privilege occasionally and included in that 5% is the very small number known as alcoholics. Then he quoted a doctor from a famous university who said 'Alcoholics are sick persons and, if treated as such, may be cured.' Alcoholism, he said, is *not caused* by alcohol but by deep-rooted emotional derailments which can be prevented by education and often cured through modern psychology!"

STEVE: "That's the most sensible approach to the problem I've heard."

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"THE VOICE of a majority, swaying the course of government does not insure good government except it be the voice of a well informed and well intentioned people."

"BUYER'S MARKET"—

In a recent issue of Nation's Business, Vergil D. Reed writes vividly on the subject of "Retailers, Get On Your Toes!" Mr. Reed's thesis is simple but important—the buyer's market is rapidly returning, customers are becoming choosier, are thinking in terms of more and better goods and service for their money. Furthermore, he says, "Mass production is inescapably dependent on mass distribution and aggressive selling of more goods at lower prices. The job retailers will determine happily both the degree of future prosperity we attain and its stability. Soon production will catch up with accumulated need for goods. When it does, the retailer's job will begin in earnest."

The progressive retailers of this country, chain and independent, are well aware of this trend. New innovations in displaying and in marketing goods are being planned and tried. Stores are expanding their stocks of merchandise, to make sure that the maximum number of potentials buyers will find what they want. Salespeople are being trained once again in the traditional standards of courtesy and good service. Manufacturers' lines are being scanned critically, as buyers search for the best possible quality at the lowest possible price.

On the basis of the last available figures, something like 75 per cent of the retail business of this country is done by independent stores, 21 or 22 per cent by chains and the rest by minor forms of retailing. It is not expected that these proportions will show any particular change. But competition will get keener in all fields—and the merchant who wants his share of the business must get on his toes and stay there. The consumer is boss—and American retailing will pare no effort to see that his needs and desires are met.

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"The Greatest Story Ever Told," broadcast over the nationwide chain of the American Broadcasting Company every Sunday night is very significant, and it looks as though this new Goodyear program may play an important part in checking the spread of Communism and the tendency of countries and individuals in thinking of material things and selfish interests rather than performing a service and recognizing the obligations that go with opportunities.

This "Greatest Story Ever Told" is being presented by the Goodyear Rubber Company without commercial advertising and the very first broadcast was what we newspapermen might call "a real knockout"—skipping atop of the word "success."

Clergymen of all denominations, Sunday school teachers, laity, just plain businessmen and religious educators did not need to be informed that the program related to the life of our Great Master, to whom people in trouble and sorrow, appeal in the critical moments of their lives

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DAVID E. LILIENTHAL

The bitter fight waged against the confirmation of David E. Lilienthal for president of the Atomic Energy Commission furnishes a puzzle. Why? Why not? Obviously Lilienthal was a New Dealer, and he was a firm, stubborn executive at the head of a Tennessee Valley Authority.

Senator Taft said he opposed confirmation because Lilienthal had been a "typical power-hungry bureaucrat." That ought not to cut much ice in a Capital where there are thousands of that kind of politicians of the Government payrolls. Senator Taft also said he had fears that Lilienthal would be "too soft on issues connected with Communism and Soviet Russia." If that is so, it is a bad fault—but a lot of Washington newspaper people have thought that all the great leaders from the United States in the United Nations are "too soft." The fact remains that the honor, integrity, and ability of Lilienthal was never questioned.

It is doggone funny the way Washington justifies itself in tearing good men to pieces without actually proving their fitness, or unfitness for high posts in the Government service.

A GOOD IDEA

Chatting with an elderly colored woman who is one of the best-liked persons in her community, I asked: "What's your formula for making and keeping so many friends?"

"We-ll, honey, dey's jes' one daily rule I follows," she replied. "I'se alus mighty careful to stop and taste mah words 'fore I lets 'em pass mah teeth!"

Service News

The Army's Reserves in Virginia moved another step toward the War Department's objective of an adequate Reserve program in the State with the assignment of the first enlisted personnel to Reserve units, Col. A. S. Knight, Senior State Instructor, Organized Reserves, Virginia Military District, has announced.

Col. Knight assigned 70 enlisted men to 16 Reserve units in various sections of the State.

Reserve units which have been formally activated in Virginia now number 35, and orders have been received authorizing the activation of 34 additional units. Of the total number 43 units must be expanded to Class B status within sixty days of activation, which means that they must have an enlisted cadre.

Enlisted cadres will be composed of non-commissioned officers and specialists who are necessary to fill key positions pertaining to administration, supply, and training.

Technical Sergeant Walter P. Graves, of Princess Anne, has been assigned to the 881st Coast Artillery Battery at Virginia Beach.

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

A Definition of Our Town

Somebody defined our town just the other day as "A place where the people talk about you behind your back, and come to wait on you when you're sick."

I've got to admit there's something to it. A lot of our folks are inclined to be pretty outspoken and quick to criticize . . . even about little things, like a woman's hat or a man's preference for a glass of beer, or the color of Cy Hartman's new barn.

But when anyone's in trouble, differences and points of criticism are forgotten . . . and folks become neighborly and helpful, like they really are.

From where I sit, criticism never did much harm to anybody, so long as folks don't let it guide their actions . . . so long as they respect our individual preferences, whether they apply to hats or beer. That's the way it is in our town, anyway, and I hope that it's the same in yours.

Joe Marsh

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SOCIAL NEWS

Mrs. S. Hardy Cole, Local Reporter

PARTIES : ANNOUNCEMENTS : PERSONALS

Mrs. F. S. Royster entertained on Saturday evening at a dinner party in celebration of the eighth birthday anniversary of her daughter, Frances S. Royster.

Mr. and Mrs. William T. Ham announce the birth of a daughter on Monday, March 3rd, at the University Hospital, Charlottesville, Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Exon announce the birth of a daughter on March 2nd at Sinai Hospital, Baltimore, Maryland. Mrs. Exon is the former Miss Jean Guinn.

Mr. and Mrs. William Perry Epes, of Alexandria, Virginia, announce the birth of a son, William Perry Epes, Jr., on Tuesday, February 25th. Mrs. Epes is the former Miss Isota Ashe Tucker, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard B. Tucker, of Pittsburgh, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Langley Land announce the birth of a daughter on Friday, February 28th, at the Norfolk General Hospital.

Capt. and Mrs. C. N. Hinkamp entertained Sunday afternoon at their home in Bay Colony at a cocktail tea in honor of Mrs. H. C. Brereton, who is their guest.

Mrs. Richard Hunt entertained on Tuesday afternoon at her home on 113th Street at a party in celebration of the sixth birthday anniversary of her daughter, Janet Eastwood Hunt. The guests present numbered about 35.

Mrs. Vincent Thomas and Mrs. James Finley have returned to their homes in Norfolk after visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. Lawson Miles, Jr., in Cavalier Park.

Miss Gwendolyn Simmons, a student at Mary Washington College, Fredericksburg, Virginia, will leave Friday for Annapolis, Md., where she will attend the First Class Hop at the U. S. Naval Academy.

Mrs. Albert Crosby, Jr., and Mrs. Hope Crosby wil leave Thursday to spend several days in Philadelphia, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Stanton have returned to their home on Avenue B after spending a month in Florida.

Miss Cecelia Ashton Cole has returned to Madison College, Harrisonburg, Virginia, after spending the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Cole, on 53rd Street

Mrs. John S. Turner has returned to her home on 36th Street after spending a week in New York City.

Mrs. William Kidder is a patient at Leigh Memorial Hospital, Norfolk.

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The marriage of Miss Mary Elizabeth Chaffee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Watson Chaffee of Virginia Beach, and Howard Mallaleau Robinson, son of Mrs. Ida E. Robinson and the late Henry Laurence Robinson, of Dodgeville, Wisconsin, took place on Friday, the twenty-first of February at four-thirty in the afternoon in the Chapel of Dom, Lutheran Cathedral, in Bremen, Germany. The double ring ceremony was performed by Chaplain Clovis Childers, Capt. U. S. Army Air Forces.

The bride, who was given away by Maurice W. Altaffer, Consul General of the United States for Bremen, wore her mother's wedding dress of Philippine white fiber cloth, which was made princess style over a full taffete underskirt. The dress was made with a high neckline and had a bodice trimmed with berthas of hand made Teneriffe lace which fell over very full puff sleeves. The dress was embroidered at the waist with seed pearls in the form of rosettes. She wore elbow length white kid gloves and her full length veil of antique tulle fell from a halo cap of heirloom lace.

Miss Patricia A. Arnold, of Plymouth, Michigan, was the maid of honor and only attendant. Her dress was made of hyacinth blue tissue faille with a sweetheart neckline and puff sleeves. Below a very tight waist a puff of the material was caught up which went around to form a bustle.

The best man was Lt. Donald K. Fraser, U. S. Army, from Detroit, Michigan, and the ushers were Theodore Buchannan, from Minneapolis, Minnesota, and Robert Clifford, from Rutland, Vermont.

The bride is a graduate of the American High School of Paris, France, and of Wellesley College. She was a member of the faculty for several years at Miss Turnbull's School in Norfolk and during the war was with the District Intelligence Office of the Navy at the Norfolk Naval Station. Since leaving there she has been with the State Department serving at Bremen, Germany.

Mr. Robinson attended the University of Wisconsin and served in the U. S. Army overseas for four years. He was discharged in France and was then employed by the War Department, attached to the European Theatre, and is now stationed in Bremen.

A reception was held following the wedding at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Altaffer. The couple left by train for St. Moritz, Switzerland, where they will spend their honeymoon, and, upon their return, will make their home in Bremen.

Mr. and Mrs. David Pender, Jr., and Miss Mary Pender have returned to their home in Bay Colony after spending the week-end at the Farmington Country Club at Charlottesville, Virginia.

Dr. Cora Corpening left Monday for Asheville, N. C., where she was called on account of the death of her brother-in-law, Roy Wall.

Mrs. Ruth Williams will return Friday to her home on 52nd Street after visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Philip Morgan, in Annapolis, Md.

Miss Betty Johnson returned on Sunday to her home in New York after spending the week-end with Miss Cecelia Ashton Cole on 53rd Street.

Mrs. Janet Williams of Philadelphia, Pa., is the guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Walt Parker, at their home on 22nd Street.

Mrs. Russell Dawson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor and Ensign Dawson Taylor returned Sunday to their home in Linkhorn Park after spending two weeks in West Palm Beach, Florida.

Miss Jane Kornegay has been elected president of Pi Beta Phi Sorority of Duke University.

Miss Nancy Lee Connell is visiting her aunt, Mrs. E. L. Cannon, at her home in Norfolk.

Lt. and Mrs. John Green have arrived from Crystal Beach, Fla., and are making their home on 123rd Street.

Capt. and Mrs. C. N. Hinkamp returned last week to their home in Bay Colony after spending two weeks in Washington, D. C. They were accompanied home by Mrs. H. C. Brereton, who is their guest.

Mr. and Mrs. David Hartman left Wednesday to spend a month in St. Petersburg, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. James Irodell have returned to their home in Norfolk after visiting Mrs. Robert Johnson on Pocahontas Drive.

Miss Louise Beckett returned Wednesday to her home on Pocahontas Drive after being a patient at the De Paul Hospital in Norfolk.

Mrs. Carter Glass, Jr., has returned to Lynchburg after visiting Mrs. John Newton at her home on 118th Street.

Capt. Clyde Coffey has returned to Washington after spending the week-end with Mrs. J. C. McNamara at her home on Holly Road.

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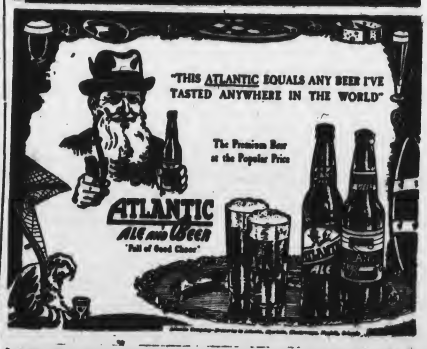

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Local Woman's Club Names Delegates, Committees For Coming Year

The final meeting of the fiscal year of the Princess Anne Woman's Club was held at the Essex House on Tuesday, March 11th, with the regular luncheon served. Mrs. Russell Hatchett, president, introduced Mrs. L. L. Newby, of Norfolk, one of the outstanding club women of Virginia, was was a guest at the luncheon. Mrs. Newby had given a review of Clayton Caldwell's book, "This Side of Innocence," at the meeting of the Book Study Group prior to the regular meeting of the club.

Delegates Appointed

Mrs. Hatchett appointed Mrs. Joseph Spruill, chairman of the Fine Arts Committee, a delegate to attend the Virginia Art Alliance Convention in Richmond on April 12th.

Mrs. Harry Holland was also appointed a delegate from the club to attend the Sixth District Club Institute in Hampton, March 27th. The Virginia Federation of Women's Clubs will hold its annual meeting in Roanoke on April 21, 22 and 23 and Mrs. Wallace Clark was voted as delegate to attend this meeting with Mrs. Hatchett.

Mrs. H. C. Meyer reported on her attendance at the Medical Society meeting with emphasis on the much discussed subject of "Socialized Medicine."

Constitutional Amendments

Mrs. L. W. Meachum, chairman of the committee appointed to study necessary changes in the Constitution, recommended the following amendments which were adopted by members present: 1. Only active members will be eligible to hold office; 2. Only members in good standing may sponsor new members, and, an increase in annual assessments to annual dues to $3.00; initiation fee $5.00; annual dues for associate and honorary members $3.00, and life membership $40.00.

District and Special Committees

Mrs. Hatchett appointed the following district chairmen: Virginia Beach, Mrs. W. O. Beasley; Lynnhaven, Mrs. Webster Hiteshew; Kempsville, Mrs. W. F. Hudgins; Seaboard, Mrs. F. E. Kellam; Pungo, Mrs. N. A. Nicholson. The standing committee chairmen were appointed as follows: Program, Mrs. L. W. Meachum; Ways and Means, Mrs. R. H. Owen; Membership, Mrs. Wallace Clark; Hospitality, Mrs. Sidney Kellam, with Mrs. Waller Taylor and Mrs. Fred Cook as co-chairmen.

Special committees will be headed by Mrs. A. J. Ketsules, Tidewater Memorial Hospital; Historian, Mrs. Hugh Simpkins; Order of Cape Henry 1607, Mrs. Wallace Clark; American Citizenship, Mrs. J. S. Crockett; Legislation, Mrs. W. A. Howren; American Home, Mrs. Kermit Land; Education, Mrs. Walter Gresham; Fine Arts, Mrs. J. E. Spruill, Mrs. G. R. Anthony, Mrs. G. L. Aldridge, Mrs. Chas. Hitchings; Mrs. I. J. Upson; International Relations, Mrs. Henned Jard; Public Welfare, Mrs. J. H. Bell; Public Relations, Mrs. A. N. Holmes; Scrap Book, Mrs. F. L. Waite. Mrs. Harry Holland will serve as chairman of the auditing committee and Mrs. Wallace Clark, Mrs. R. H. Owen and Mrs. F. W. Cox will constitute the committee on budgeting.

Members of the club voted to contribute $25.00 to the Red Cross drive now in progress and to join as a club the Virginia Conference of Social Work and to send a delegate to the Sate conference to be held in Roanoke, Virginia, on May 22, 23 and 24.

Following this motion the program chairman introduced Mrs. Lena Cameron, director of County Welfare Work, who outlined the aims, objectives and the actual work carried on in her department of the county work, dealing with preventive and corrective efforts among the mal-adjusted, ill and indigent residents in our community.

Princess Anne Co-op To Make Truck Baskets

Princess Anne Foods, Incorporated, a farmers cooperative chartered in 1945 primarily to establish a frozen foods business, Wednesday launched a program to enter into the manufacture of round bottom bushel baskets and other farm produce packages, it was announced by John B. Dey, president of the organization, and Grayson Whitehurst, secretary.

In announcing approval of the project by the co-op's board of directors, Dey and Whitehurst in a statement said "there seems to be a general dissatisfaction with the price farmers have to pay for baskets at the present time."

Whitehurst commented that from the standard price of ninety cents a dozen prevailing several years ago, baskets have risen to $2.75 a dozen. Although there were shortages during war years, they are manufactured in considerable number in this section of Virginia and North Carolina.

"At the meeting of the board of directors the necessary funds were subscribed," the statement said. "A committee has been appointed for the selection of a plant site."

Whitehurst said the cooperative made baskets would cover requirements of all Norfolk area groups, and would be made available to all planters caring to enter into the program.

When originally chartered, the Princess Anne Foods, Inc., planned immediately to build at a cost of $150,000 a food freezing and canning plant. When it appeared, however, that an expenditure of $425,000 would be necessary, the undertaking was delayed.

Dey and Whitehurst pointed out that the charter "provides that the cooperative can enter into the manufacture of any product needed in the farming business."

Joint Meeting At W. T. Cooke School

There will be a joint meeting of the owners of residential property south of 17th Street and east of Cypress Avenue, signers of the petition regarding rezoning of Block 8 in Pinewood and members of the South Virginia Beach Civic League at the W. T. Cooke School auditorium on Monday, March 17th, at 8:00 P. M.

Tides and Sun

TIDE CALENDAR FOR VIRGINIA BEACH AND CAPE HENRY

(Reported by U. S. Weather Bureau, Cape Henry)

TIDE CALENDAR

Date	High	Low
TIDE AND SU[illegible]		[illegible]
March 14 a.m.	1:[illegible]	7:54
March 14 p.m.	1:40	7:53
March 15 a.m.	2:11	8:48
March 15 p.m.	2:33	8:46
March 16 a.m.	3:02	9:30
March 16 p.m.	3:27	9:32
March 17 a.m.	3:40	10:28
March 17 p.m.	4:19	10:29
March 18 a.m.	4:43	11:15
March 18 p.m.	5:06	11:18
March 19 a.m.	5:32	11:58
March 19 p.m.	5:52	
March 20 a.m.	6:18	12:07
March 20 p.m.	6:37	12:40

Days of Week	Sun Rises	Sun Sets
Friday	6:17	6:10
Saturday	6:16	6:11
Sunday	6:14	6:12
Monday	6:13	6:13
Tuesday	6:11	6:14
Wednesday	6:10	6:15
Thursday	6:08	6:16

To obtain tides of high or low water from above times: Lynnhaven Inlet, add 30 minutes; Ocean View, add 45 minutes; Old Point, add 45 minutes; Oregon Inlet, subtract 45 minutes.

Local Methodists To Hear Plans For New Sunday School

Officers of the Virginia Beach Methodist Church met following the regular worship service Sunday evening, March 2nd, for the purpose of outlining plans for the construction of a Sunday school building.

The meeting was presided over by Dr. F. L. Wells, superintendent of the Norfolk District of the Methodist Church.

Col. Aubrey Holmes, chairman of the building committee, presented the plans for the construction of a two-story building, 48 by 73 feet, to be built of cement blocks faced with brick which will accommodate approximately 550 Sunday school members. The proposed building and equipment not to exceed $50,000.

Plans Adopted

The plans as presented by Col. Holmes were adopted by the officers and authorization for immediate construction work given.

The Rev. Robert Forrest, pastor, in commenting on the new building, said that the original plans for a new church had been temporarily suspended awaiting more favorable building conditions. The new Sunday school auditorium will be so constructed that a covered passage way will lead to the present church building and will be located on the lot at the rear of the present building, between Atlantic and Pacific Avenues, on Eighteenth Street.

Congregational Meeting

Col. Aubrey Holmes, chairman, and members of the building committee, will present the proposed plans to the church members at a call congregational meeting to be held at the close of the morning service on March 16th. If the plans are accepted by the congregation, Mr. Forrest said the finance committee will present to the congregation plans outlined for raising, through cash subscriptions and pledges, over a period of two years, the sum of $25,000.

The committee serving with Col. Holmes will be: W. O. Beasley, J. W. Bright, J. H. Hatch, H. W. Austin and Ernest Allen.

The finance committee will be headed by C. S. Forsberg, chairman, assisted by H. B. Kellam, J. H. Bell, C. W. Wade, H. E. Halstead, Rev. G. T. Forrester, Mrs. A. N. Holmes and Mrs. A. L. Barco, Jr.

CHURCH NEWS

Galilee Services

The Rector and Vestry of Galilee Episcopal Church have had the extreme good fortune to obtain the Rev. Churchill J. Gibson, D. D., Rector of St. James' Episcopal Church, Richmond, Virginia, as guest preacher for the Wednesday evening Lenten Service, March 19th, at eight o'clock.

The Rev. Dr. Gibson will be well remembered by all who heard his very fine sermons at the Galilee Church during the Lenten season last year. He is a graduate of the University of Virginia and of the Virginia Theological Seminary, and in 1925 he received the degree of Doctor of Divinity at Washington and Lee. After serving as a chaplain in the 35th Division, AEF, during World War I, Dr. Gibson was for ten years rector of the Robert E. Lee Memorial Church in Lexington before going the St. James'. He is a man of power and ability, and an interesting and forcible preacher.

All members and friends of the Galilee Church are cordially invited and urged to hear Dr. Gibson on Wednesday evening.

Because of the sudden illness of the Rev. George P. Gunn, Rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Meadowbrook, Norfolk, who was to have preached at Galilee Episcopal Church on Wednesday evening, the Rector of Galilee felt that he was most fortunate in securing as guest preacher Commander John D. Zimmerman, B. D., Ph. D., U. S. Navy, Chaplain at the Armed Forces War College, Washington, D. C.

Tailored Togs To Be Closed Three Hours On Good Friday

Harold Freeman, owner and manager of the "Tailored Togs" dress shop, wishes to announce that his shop will be closed on Good Friday, April 3rd, between the hours of 12 noon and 3 P. M. This gesture is in compliance with the request of the recently formed ministerial association of Princess Anne County, which will hold union services at Galilee Episcopal Church during this period.

Forty Acre Sports Center Planned For County

In an effort to make Tidewater Virginia the sport center of the South, a group of civic minded citizens has organized the Norfolk and Princess Anne Fair, Inc.

A 40-acre tract of land, valued at $40,000, fronting on the Virginia Beach car line and the Military Highway, has been purchased on which immediate construction is planned. County fair buildings will be erected and two race tracts built, one of dirt and the other of asphalt for night auto racing.

M. E. Edwards of Norfolk, president, stated that the project will entail an initial investment of $90,000; $50,000 for building and equipment, and $40,000 for the land.

Country Fairs

It is planned to hold old time country fairs each fall with racing of all kinds as a drawing card, and Mr. Edwards feels that this project is a forerunner of many similar projects in the sports field which should be located in the Tidewater area.

Officers and Directors

M. E. Edwards, vice president of the Red Top Cab Co., is president of the new organization; Col. George W. Banks, retired capitalist, is vice president, and Richard Kellam, attorney, is secretary and treasurer. The sponsors of the project are: H. Warfield Leeke, Mayor of Virginia Beach; Vernon Eberwine, Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of Nansemond Co.; JJohn B. Dey, Chairman of the Princess Anne Co, School Board; W. E. Hudgins, Board of Supervisors of Norfolk Co.; Webster M. Townsend, Treasurer South Norfolk; Blair Eubanks, WTAR; W. Russell Hatchett, Commissioner of Revenue Princess Anne Co.; Col. Chas. H. Consolvo, Consolvo Hotels; and Rex Willroy, W. F. MacGarvie, John D. Corbell, L. T. Cheshire, W. B. Shaferill, J. C Council, J. C. King, Geo. N. Badran, Luther Church, Dr. Edward Myers, S. J. Farris, Hon. C. J. White, Spokane, Wash., and Hon. T. P. O'Malley, Chiago, Ill.

BUY AT HOME

Advantages And Functions Of Better Business Assn. Outlined At Meeting

The first general meeting of the Better Business Association of Princess Anne and Virginia Beach was held at the Pinewood Hotel on Tuesday, March 11th, with Kermit Land, 1st vice president, in charge of the meeting, in the absence of Frank Shean, president.

Officers, directors and committee chairmen were presented to the assembled group before hearing the guest speakers of the evening.

Guest Speakers

Donald W. Fulton, of the U. S. Department of Commerce in Norfolk, guest speaker, defined "Federal Aid to Small Business," stating that the 77 offices throughout the country were maintained in an effort to aid the small business in getting established and maintaining its management and operation; that through extensive research; and complete files monthly retail reports on economic problems were available to the small business which could not afford to hire a staff of experts to handle the problems of its business. Mr. Fulton said that the Norfolk office had been established to serve business in the counties of Nansemond, Northampton, Accomac, Isle of Wight, Warwick, Elizabeth City, York and Princess Anne; and that it had been established at the insistance of the Chamber of Commerce. Its length of stay will be determined by its usefulness.

The guest of honor at the meeting was W. R. Southerland, manager of the Better Business Bureau of Norfolk, who described the many advantages and functions of the organization. Through complaints factual files are built and through these files may be promoted and maintained a better business by the protection offered members of the organization.

Mr. Spruill announced that at present there are 76 paid members in the organization and presented each firm with a framed certificate of membership.

The by-laws as presented by the committee were adopted by the organization before adjournment.

Good Friday Observance

Mr. Spruill read a request of the Princess Anne Ministerial Association that all stores in the community remain closed on Good Friday, April 3rd, for three hours, between 12 noon and 3:00 P. M. A union service will be held during these hours in the Galilee Episcopal Church. No vote was taken on the matter, but was left to the individual to express his own feelings in the matter.

Clean-Up Planned By Garden Club To Be Permanent

Mrs. C. T. Hall of Bird Neck Point was hostess to the members of the Princess Anne Garden Club at its regular March meeting on Monday, March 10th. Miss Elizabeth Gregory Hill, president, presided.

Routine reports of the standing committees were given and Mrs. Raymond Pritchard, horticultural chairman, gave some timely hints for the month of March planting of seeds, pruning dead wood and general care of the garden after the heavy snow. Mrs. Hallie Carlisle Old, chairman of arrangements for the annual meeting at the Cavalier Hotel, May 5th and 7th, announced committees and chairmen.

Special attention was called to Arbor Day, Friday, March 14, with the request that each member plant a tree, dogwood, if possible, either in her own yard or a nearby school yard.

Clean-Up Campaign

Miss Hill announced that the primary business of the club at present is the "Clean-Up" drive along al public highways in Princess Anne County, and read letters from individuals planning to cooperate.

E. D. Hubbard, resident engineer, Department of State Highways, in his letter expressed appreciation of the club's interest and promised full cooperation in sending "clean-up" squads along Route 58, all Princess Anne roads, Laskin Boulevard and other approaches to the Beach until March 15th and that from then on it was

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$20,000 Damage Claimed By Fire At Lumber Mill

A fire at the Redd Lumber Company, near Oceana Corner on the Virginia Beach Boulevard, on Wednesday destroyed property and equipment valued at approximately $20,000, most of it to the dry kiln and planing mill, valued at about $20,000.

Chief J. E. Muir, of the Davis Corner Volunteer Fire Department, said his company received the first call at 12:25 A. M. and the fire was brought under control in about an hour.

This department was assisted by the Virginia Beach Fire Department, and the London Bridge Volunteer Fire Department. Each department was one truck which carries approximately 600 gallons of water. It was necessary to transport water from a hydrant about a mile from the site of the fire. Yoder Dabbs, which is a part of the Davis Corner Volunteer Fire Department, used milk cans as containers for the water.

This is "Tiger," winner of male Boxers at the Tidewater Kennel Club Show, on February 23rd. His owner, Nick Asteris, has agreed to donate one fourth of all stud fees over a period of six months to the Princess Anne Humane Association. This is to provide a veterinarian for this area and a shelter for stray dogs. "Tiger's" mother, also owned by Mr. Asteris, was purchased with money repaid him for an old charitable debt, therefore, he feels that through his dogs others should be helped. In "Tiger's" five generation pedigree there are six champions and one international champion. He is eighteen months old and this is the first show for him. Anyone interested please contact Mr. Asteris or Mrs. R. Lee Page, president of the Princess Anne Humane Association.

Below is a partial list of subscribers to the Princess Anne Humane Asociation fund. Time and space will not permit a complete publication of the list, but it is our intention to publish from time to time the names as there is space. If your name does not appear on the list of this issue do not think your interest or contribution is not appreciated. We have all the names on file and will publish them eventually. We attempt to follow our policy of giving a little space, in our small publication, to a number of articles rather than a lot of space to one or two. Watch for the continued list of names in the near future.

Mrs. M. L. Renn, Bobby Ingram, Mrs. R. L. Ingram, Katherine M. Terrell, Mrs. Louis E. Guy, Mrs. J. C. Hutcheson, Dr. Stanley Salasky, Marion B. Garwood, Pauline Garwood, Miss Emily Cheatem, Joe Lyle, Jr., Mrs. Frank Booker, Mrs. Joe Lyle, Chess Hardbarger, Gladys A. Nicholson, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Bass, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. O'Neil, Mr. J. M. Rhodes, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Tilghman, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Marshall, Mrs. J. M. Robinson, Mrs. W. T.

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IF

(Pennsylvania Bulletin)

If you drive, don't drink—
You might hurt someone.
If you walk, don't drink—
You might get hurt.
If you talk, don't drink—
You might be quoted.
If you think,
You won't drink anyhow.

COUNTY REAL ESTATE REVIEW

By E. P Crockett, Jr.

Here are some interesting transfers of property recorded at the Princess Anne Courthouse during the past week:

Houses:

L. A. Bergman and Wife to Julian Robinson and Louise N. Robinson, western one-half of Lot 7 and al of Lot 8, with improvements, in Block 11, 55th Street, Ocean View; tax $[illegible].

Annette Stein and Jack Stein, her husband, to Mary C. Dana and George H. Dana, of Norfolk, Lots 36 and 37, with improvements, on north side of 113½ St.; tax $9.90.

County Building Permits:

J. B. Braithwaite, garage apartment, 115th Street, Lot 12, Block 20, Section "D"; $7,000.

Jack Stein, residence, Lot 17, Block 10, Section "D"; $6,500.

Dewey G. Weddle, garage apartment, 109th Street, Lot 1, Block 9; $1,500.

J. B. Braithwaite, garage apartment, Lot 12, Block 20, Section "D"; $7,000.

Lots:

Mary E. Birah and Husband, of New York City, to James E. Fuller, Lots 1 and 2, Block 1, Virginia Beach Annex No. 2; tax 60c.

William H. Terry, Jr., and Ethel A. Jordan, of Petersburg, Lot 23 and eastern 30 feet of 29 in Block 13, Section "D", ocean side of 119th Street; tax $2.38.

Henry C. Jarvis and Wife of Princess Anne, to Vernon Hugh James, of Norfolk, Lot 26, Block 6, Section "D," west side of 122nd Street; tax $1.20.

W. L. Cogswell to Nora C. Partridge, Lots 16 and 17, Block 108, Lakewood; tax $1.68.

C. A. Neff and Lucy T. Neff, his Wife, Thos. P. Thompson and Helen T. Thompson, his Wife, and C. A. Neff and Thomas P. Thompson, partners, trading as Neff and Thompson, to Myrtle E. Smith, northern portion of Lots 5 and 6, Section "A", Cavalier Shores; tax $2.60.

Ellen C. Wade to W. P. Crockett, Lot 28, Section "F", Cavalier Shores; tax $2.52.

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PHONE 242

Entered as second class matter August 7, 1925, at the post office of Virginia Beach, Va., under the act of March 3, 1879.

"THE VOICE of a majority, swaying the course of government does not insure good government except it be the voice of a well informed and well intentioned people."

STAY YOUNG WITH YOUR BRAIN

Keep your mink awake and you'll stay young all over, counsels psychologist George Lawton, in The Reader's Digest for January. Human eyes begin to age at 110, hearing at 20. Your muscular strength and reproductive powers have passed their peaks at 30. But those who four opportunities can take comfort in the fact that the mind is still young at 60 and that creative imagination is ageless. To keep young, therefore, concentrate on that part of you that's still growing—your brain.

Lawton's article, which was condensed from the American Magazine, holds that the true elixir of youth is an active interest in the world, the acquisition of at least one new bit of knowledge a day, and, above all, a refusal to "settle down." Psychologists are two contrasting personality types develop in the middle 30s. Those of one type constantly broaden their interests, read widely, busy themselves with creative hobbies. The others begin to shrivel, at about 35, into a dull but comfortable routine; the after-dinner sporting page, comic strip, radio, and go to bed. People of the first group grow younger with increasing years, Lawton finds. But members of the second "have already hit the skids; if they don't change they'll be old at 45."

The author contends that "as the years pile up biological time slows down . . . Psychically, you don't change as much from 20 to 40 as you did from 25 to 30; from 55 to 75 as from 40 to 55." He cites several instances of intellectual accomplishment by individuals who are old in years. One eminent medical college at 70, was his degree with honors, and became an eminent physician. Another, a woman, learned to paint at 70, held a "one-man" show at 80, and is still going strong at 90.

While older people often suffer some loss of memory, mental productivity at 80 can match that at 30. "What's more," Lawton adds, "with age we develop insight and perspective, judgment and reasoning power. That's why the old doctor, the veteran lawyer, the experienced craftsman can usually hold his own against younger and more vigorous rivals."

PLEASANTNESS PAYS

A young lady stalled her car at a traffic light one winter day. She stamped on the starter, tried once again, choked her engine, while behind her, an impatient citizen honked his horn steadily. Finally she got out and walked back.

"I'm awfully sorry, but I don't seem to be able to start my car," she told the driver of the other car pleasantly. "If you'll go up there and start it for me, I'll stay there and lean on your horn."

ERRATUM

Then there was the rookie who three stars on a staff car and walking up to the stern-faced man sitting in back, congratulated him on having three sons in the service.

It's Your Headache, Too

Uncle Sam's huge debt represents nearly $2,000 for each of his nephews and nieces. How shall it be managed? The Committee on Public Debt Policy, formed by leading bankers, insurance officials, industrialists and economists, hopes to find the answer.

Out-Of-State Visitors Shows Decline In 1946

The number of out-of-state visitors to Virginia declined approximately 14 per cent in 1946 as compared with 1941, yet the dollar return from the tourist business this year is well ahead of 1941, according to a preliminary estimate made by the Division of Publicity and Advertising of the Virginia Conservation Commission.

The value of the tourist business to Virginia in 1946 was estimated at approximately $180,000,000. Allowing for a 14 per cent reduction in this figure and then adding 25 per cent to cover the increased cost of food and lodging, the value this year amounts to approximately $187,000,000. This estimate is based on highway travel surveys and reports from major resort areas and hotels in the State for the five peak vacation months in Virginia, May through September.

With the exception of Virginia Beach, every major resort area in the State reported an increase in their tourist business in 1946 as compared to 1941. Joseph T. Spuill, manager of the Virginia Beach Chamber of Commerce, said that "some of the small hotels and rooming houses, which normally depend on those who come to the beach without reservations, have not done as well as was expected. We believe this due to pre-season optimism and the adverse publicity concerning everything being filled, which we received during the early days of the season."

Yet he added that old timers at the Beach, business men who have been there for years, felt that this season was better than that of any previous year. This may have been due to the fact that the dollar rate from the business was greater than in any previous year in spite of a decline in the number of out-of-state visitors. The Cavalier, the Gay Manor and the Waverly and others among the larger hotels at the Beach reported business will above 1941.

THE BLESSING OF AN OLD MOTHER

(Richmond News Leader)

When word reached the President that his 94-year-old mother had broken her hip again, he did not send word that he would come to see her as soon as his engagement permitted. He simply cancelled the engagement and flew to Missouri. After he had seen for himself that she was comfortable and was not in immediate danger, he took a plane back to Washington. The country thinks more of him for what he did. It was the act of a son who is grateful to God for the blessing of an old, old mother. Over the mind of such a mother the shadows of forgetfulness may fall concerning all that happened today or last week or last year, but not over the years when her son was a boy. Always thinks of him still as a boy. Occasionally, when she speaks, he goes back with her to the days long gone and fulfillment of the prayer that rises again and again in the human heart, "Make me a child again, just for tonight."

As Others See It

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following letter was received at the "News" office and should stimulate thought. It is our understanding that the matter will come up for discussion at the regular meeting of the town council in April, at which time representatives of the C. & P. Telephone Company will be present.

Virginia Beach, Virginia
March 10, 1947

Virginia Beach News
Virginia Beach, Virginia
Gentlemen:

This is written merely for the creation of some thought and possibly some action by the residents of this Town.

The Telephone Company has in the last few days raised the Toll charges from Virginia Beach to Norfolk 122 per cent.

I have no comments. You give it thought.

Respectfully yours,
A Resident.

State Forrester Warns Against Trash Burning

"Open air" fires are unlawful before 4 P. M. during the months of March, April and the first 15 days of May, according to State Forester George W. Dean, who has called attention to the fire prevention provision of Section 545-(b) of the Virginia Code. The State official further explained that open air fires included the burning of brush, leaves, papers, garden debris or any inflammable material if located within 300 feet of woods, brushland or field capable of spreading fire.

The help "Keep Virginia Green" the State Forester urged all persons to delay burning until after 4:00 P. M., and then burn only when the wind is quiet, after having cleaned around the brush or debris and have help on hand.

Experience and records of more than a decade prove that 90 per cent of all debris fires originate between 10:00 A. M. and 4:00 P. M. The delayed open air law is based on sound physical and meteorological factors such as wind velocity, humidity of atmosphere, moisture content of grass and leaves, and easier fire control in late afternoon and night.

Bond Sales Up In Princess Anne

Bond sales in Virginia amounted to $10,709,528.25 during the month of February, which was approximately two million dollars more than invested in the same month last year. In Princess Anne County the sales for February amounted to $34,253.50.

EYEGLASSES
NORFOLK, VA.
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KODAKS

READING & WRITING
BY *Edwin Seaver* AND *Robin McKown*

One of Ernie Pyle's many narrow escapes occurred at Anzio where he was quartered at a waterfront villa. Awakened one night by anti-aircraft fire, he got up from his bed, put on his helmet, and peered out the window. Sixty seconds or so later a heavy German bomb went off alongside the villa, and others followed. Toppling masonry crushed the just-evacuated bed. Ernie's helmet was blown off his head, and he was severely shaken up, but otherwise suffered only a scratch on his right cheek.

ERNIE PYLE

Writing about the incident, Ernie said no, he wasn't nervous afterwards, not at all, except that he caught himself combing his hair with a handkerchief.

"An Ernie Pyle Album" by Lee G. Miller is a fine tribute to America's best loved newspaperman. This is a biography told by photographs and brief text. The pictures came from friends, relatives, chance acquaintances as well as from official military files. They show Ernie from his boyhood days in Dana, up until his last dateline on Ie Shima.

Lee Miller, who prepared this volume, was Managing Editor of the Scripps-Howard Newspaper Alliance and Ernie Pyle's oldest and best friend. From 1935 on, it was he who edited and handled the Pyle column. He was known facetiously as "vice-president in charge of Ernie Pyle."

* * *

When the Black Hawk War broke out in 1832, Abraham Lincoln was just beginning his political career. Although he had announced that he was a candidate for election to the State Legislature, he promptly volunteered for service. His experiences as a militiaman often bordered on the comic. All his resourcefulness and adaptability were needed to supplement his scanty knowledge of military tactics. On one occasion, when he was leading his company across a field, twenty abreast, they came to a fence with a narrow gate. Unable to think of the proper command to "turn the company endwise," Lincoln shouted, "Halt! This company will break ranks for two minutes and form again on the other side of that gate!" The movement was successfully executed.—From "The Lincoln Reader," edited by Paul Angle, the current Book-of-the-Month Club selection.

Funerals

MRS. BETTIE J. WOODHOUSE

Funeral services for Mrs. Bettie James Woodhouse, widow of Robert W. Woodhouse, Sr., who died Friday morning at her residence near Lynnhaven, Princess Anne County, were held at the Oceana Methodist Church Sunday afternoon, with the Rev. I. L. Llewellyn, the pastor, officiating. Interment was in Eastern Shore Cemetery, Oceana. Pallbearers were John Lee Spence, Clinton M. Woodhouse, Valentine Barton, Arthur W. Brock, Jr., Arthur Page Kellam, Robert W. Bonney, Henry R. Woodhouse, William O. Godfrey and Henry Braithwaite, II.

Mrs. Woodhouse is survived by three sons, Dr. Robert W. Woodhouse, of Virginia Beach; Shepherd James Woodhouse, of Princess Anne County, and Prof. Edward James Woodhouse, of Chapel Hill, N. C.; one daughter, Mrs. John Frost Woodhouse, of Princess Anne; one sister, Mrs. Jackson Kellam, of Norfolk; one brother, John James, of Princess Anne; five grandchildren, and one great-grandchild.

HOLD YOUR WAR BONDS

CHARLES MONROE WOODLEY

Funeral services for Mr. Charles Monroe Woodley, who died Thursday night, were conducted at the Lynnhaven Methodist Church on Sunday at 2 P. M. with the pastor, the Rev. E. Leon Smith, officiating. Pallbearers were: E. R. Hebden, Eugene Hebden, R. L. Hebden, Vernon Hebden, S. J. Gregory and T. F. Krahenbill. Burial was in the church cemetery.

MRS. MINNIE G. BONNEY

Funeral services for Mrs. Minnie Garrison Bonney were conducted at the Charity Methodist Church Sunday afternoon by the Rev. J. W. Mast, pastor of the church. Pallbearers were W. S. Whitehurst, W. A. Hartley, R. W. Atwood, O. W. Land, A. N. Henley, L. H. Vaughan, F. M. Wilkerson and R. W. James. Burial was in Charity Cemetery.

Mrs. Bonney, 61, wife of Thomas W. Bonney, died at her residence in Princess Anne County. Besides her husband, she is survived by a daughter, Mrs. O. J. Waterman, of Norfolk; a son, H. R. Bonney, of Princess Anne, and a nephew, Clifton White, of Mobile, Ala. Mrs. Bonney was a lifelong resident of Princess Anne County.

Legals

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given the Board of Supervisors of Princess Anne County, will on the 24th day of March, 1947, at 12:00 noon, adopt the following ordinance, which has been heretofore proposed for adoption.

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Virginia has authorized the Board of Supervisors of Princess Anne County, Virginia, within the limits of said County, to establish zones and districts, and the Zoning Commission has made a report to the Board of Supervisors recommending the establishment of a zone in that area lying near Oceana, in said County, and known as the North and South side of the Virginia Beach Boulevard from the already zoned section of Oceana to a point in the center line of a marshy spot on the south side of Virginia Beach Boulevard just west of where it intersects Laskin Road, and on both sides of the Laskin Road from the center of a marshy place directly west of said intersection, eastwardly to the intersection of the Laskin Road with the Old Courthouse Road for a distance of two hundred (200) feet on each side of the Virginia Beach Boulevard and the said Laskin Road.

WHEREAS, said Zone Commission has recommended that the zone hereinabove set out and described be restricted as hereinafter provided, therefore:—

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF PRINCESS ANNE COUNTY, as follows:

1. No house or business shall be erected on any lot smaller than 50 feet in width and 100 feet in depth.

2. No place shall be constructed on any lot closer than 5 feet from either side line and 5 feet from the rear line as platted.

3. No trailers of any description shall be placed upon any lot and used for living quarters.

4. No outside water closet or privy shall be permitted in this area.

5. Minimum construction cost of either a business or a residential building shall be $4,000.00. This figure shall apply to the actual construction cost of such a building, excluding the cost of lot, grounds and garage.

This Ordinance shall be enforced by the Building Inspector, his agents, employees, and any violation thereof shall be punishable by a fine of not less than Twenty-five Dollars ($25.00) nor more than Fifty Dollars ($50.00), or by confinement in jail for a period of not exceeding thirty (30) days either or both. Each day of continuous violation shall be considered a separate offense.

Teste: WILLIAM F. HUDGINS,
Clerk.

Board of Supervisors of
Princess Anne County, Va.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will, on the 25th day of March, 1947, apply to the Virginia Alcoholic Beverage Control Board for a Club license to sell wine and beer for on and off premises consumption at premises known as "Cavalier Country Club," Birdneck Point, Princess Anne County, Virginia.

CAVALIER YACHT & COUNTRY CLUB, INC.
By: R. E. Derring,
Vice President.

V. A. OFFICE NEWS— — EH

Effective Saturday, March 1st, the Veterans Administration office in Norfolk will be closed every Saturday, and will operate on a 40-hour Monday through Friday week.

This announcement was made by E. Wills Woodward, manager of the VA office, upon receipt of instructions from the regional VA office in Roanoke.

Office hours of the Norfolk office are 8:00 A. M. to 4:30 P. M. Monday through Friday. The office is located in Room 217 of the Federal Building.

VA offices which heretofore have been opened on Saturday functioned on an overtime basis for that day.

Corporal— "Hey soldier where did you get the blonde you were out with last night?"
Private— "Dunno, I jusct opened my billfold and there she was."

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PUNGO-PLEASANT RIDGE—ETC

L. H. Vaughan, who represents the Pungo Magisterial District of Princess Anne County on the Board of Supervisors of the county, has appointed a committee to investigate the possibility of securing a right of way along a road leading from Pungo to Pleasant Ridge in order that the State Highway Department may take over and maintain this roadway.

Representatives of the State Highway Commission agreed, at a recent meeting of the Board of Supervisors, to construct, repair and maintain this roadway if a right of way could be secured to provide the required width of 50 feet. At present the road is 30 feet wide and approximately two and one-half miles in length.

The committee appointed by Vaughan includes: R. J. Murden, A. D. Malbon, George Fentress, Permit Land and D. R. Johnson.

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The carpet sweeper should be oiled once a month—not too heavily . . . avoid spotting the carpet.

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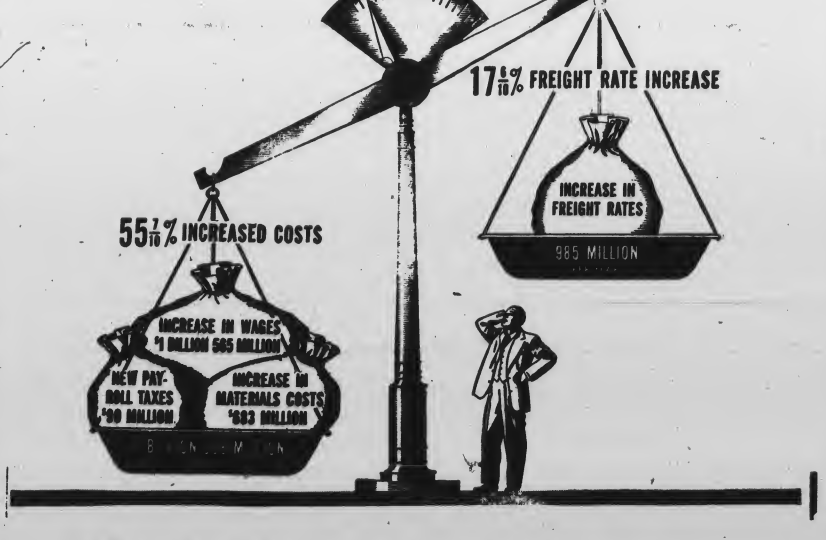

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EASTERN AND SOUTHEASTERN RAILROADS

Banquet Of County 4-H Leaders Held In Norfolk March 3

The 4-H Council of Princess Anne County held its annual banquet meeting on Monday night, March 3rd, at the Norfolk City Welfare Center. The business session of the Council was presided over by Cora Marie Blackmore, president, and Frank Lane, secretary. There were present at the meeting, 36 club officers, 8 4-H club leaders, 7 4-H club sponsors, and 5 members of the 4-H adult advisory committee, 4 officers of the County 4-H Honor Club and its sponsors, County Agent H. W. Ozlin, and Assistant County Agent A. L. Curtis, and 9 visitors.

Instruction Period

Following the banquet, club officers received instruction as to their individual duties from adult committee instructors. H. W. Ozlin, custodian of the funds of the county 4-H clubs, reported a balance of $46.10. Mr. Ozlin also reported on membership goals, stating that only three of the eight clubs had reached their goal.

Saturday, March 8th was the deadline for new members in the 1947 campaign.

The Council decided on adopting an activity for all of the clubs to work on to do something about the health "H" in the 4-H's, and after considerable discussion a motion was made and carried that all 4-H members in the county be urged to get a complete physical examination if possible and that all have an ear, nose and throat examination. It was left with the adult 4-H committee to work out the details as to getting these examinations made, and, although the council was not sure how far it could go this year, it was decided to be the most important activity that the various clubs could engage in. The council decided to again patronize our district 4-H camp which will be held at Fort Story and to urge as many members as possible to attend the State 4-H Short Course which will be held at Blacksburg.

Dues for the various clubs to pay into the county funds were as follows: the junior clubs, $2.00 each, and the senior clubs $5.00 each. The council decided to again resume sending 4-H exhibits to the State Fair at Richmond and to make arrangements for just as many members to attend on 4-H Day as possible. This work was stopped during the war years but will be resumed next fall. The council also decided to award appropriate placques to the senior club and to the junior club that does the best all-around 4-H club work throughout the year.

Inspiring talks were made to the council by R. H. Owens, principal of Oceana High School, and A. V. Watts, member of the adult 4-H committee.

The chairman appointed the 4-H leaders and sponsors of the three senior clubs to act as a nominating committee and requested the committee to appoint the '47 council officers. Report of the nominating committee was made by Mrs. R. M. Humphries, leader of the Kempsville senior club as follows: Stanley Wilson, member of Oceana senior club was selected as president; Joyce Etheridge, member of Creeds senior club was selected as vice president; and Jimmy Spivey, member of Kempsville senior club was selected as secretary. The chairman called for any other nominations from the floor and there being none a motion was made and carried that the above mentioned officers be elected.

H. W. Ozlin invited all 4-H club leaders and sponsors to accompany the Honor Club on its airplane trip to Washington, which has been scheduled tentatively for Saturday, April 12th. Six of the leaders and sponsors indicated their desire to take this trip and it appears now it will be between 40 and 50 to visit Washington from the Princess Anne County 4-H clubs.

2 More Schools Install Course In Driver Training

As the result of intensive efforts by the Tidewater Automobile Association, Two more high schools in eastern Virginia have been added to the growing list of those undertaking the co-operative driver training program designed by the American Automobile Association.

The new schools are Centarl High School, in Accomack County, with 50 pupils in the first class, and La-Crosse High School in Mecklenburg County, with 31 pupils School superintendents participating in this establishment were Henry A. Wise of Accomack, and C. R. Greene, of Mecklenburg.

Previously announced driver training schools are in operation in Granby High, Norfolk, and the South Norfolk High School.

Members of the TAA staff were busy in January, however, discussing details of the program with superintendents and principals throut the area served by the association — amid indications that the shortage of personnel is the most important factor retarding installation of the course on a much wider basis.

Sessions were held, for instance, with Superintendent T W. Forster and principals of Sussex County; M. R. Joyner and principals, of Surry; L. T. Hall and principals, of Mathews and Middlesex; Mr. Frank W. Cox and principals, of Princess Anne; and R. E. Brann and principals of Lancaster and Northumberland.

The co-operative training program consists of classroom instructoin in theory and respnsibility of automobile driving, with behind-the-wheel tutelage furnished by a parent in the family car. The home instructor uses carefully planned lesson sheets that are correlated with the theoretic instruction.

Harold N. Jack Takes State Post

Harold N. Jack, formerly supervisor of health, safety and physical education for the State of Minnesota, has been acquired by Virginia for the same position.

In is new post he succeeds Maj. Eliot Graves, who last fall lent his endorsement to the co-operative driver traning as a proper subject for inclusion in high school curricula.

Driving Film Is Available

A new sound film for adults, "Teach Them to Drive" is available for showing to parent - teacher associations and other groups.

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It's Christmas today in studio of artist painting designs for next winter's Christmas cards. Best designs of hundreds of leading artists will be chosen for Christmas greeting cards by America's "Greeting Card King," Harry Dochla, president of the Hertz Dochla Company, Fitchburg, Mass.

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VIRGINIANS AIDING CHINESE —Edward R. Stettinius, Jr., National Chairman; Rev. C. Newman Fauleoner, of Waynesboro, (center), most successful local chairman, and Robert M. Hazelwood, of Toano, State Chairman for United Service to China, photographed together in Richmond when Virginia officially launched its statewide campaign for $138,715 for assistance to the Chinese. Mr. Fauleoner is the first chairman to report his quota in hand. Mr. Stettinius urged Virginians to rally to the support of the USC campaign through which he stated that he believed international friendship will be encouraged and future markets for Virginia pro-

Service News

JIM BAILEY FIGHTS PEARL HARBOR FIRE

James V. Bailey, son of Mr. James Bailey and the late Mrs. Bailey, of the Beach, is now recuperating in the Naval Hospital in San Francisco from burns and effects of heavy oil smoke sustained in the recent warehouse and pier fires at the Pearl Harbor naval supply center.

A letter from Jim to his father describes in vivid detail the spectacular oil fire which started under the dock and raged for several hours with more than 500 persons, 14 vessels and all Navy firefighting equipment in the area called out to battle the blaze.

Young Jim was among the 25 or 30 persons fighting the fire who were overcome by smoke, when he joined a rescue party to bring several men from the end of the pier who had been overcome by the intense smoke.

After two and a half hours manning and repairing hose and aiding men to safety who were overcome by the smoke, Jim was finally overcome by smoke and exhaustion and taken to the hospital.

According to the letter his injuries were not too serious and he was hoping to be back on duty within a short time. He is attached to a Naval Aviation Unit with duty in the Pacific area.

SIDNEY A. CAPPS ON USCO SUBMARINER

Henry J. Capps, [illegible] class, USCO, of [illegible] Avenue, is serving aboard the icebreaker USCO Northwind, part of Task Force 68, the Navy's Antarctic Expedition.

The Northwind led three ships through 500 miles of the Antarctic ice pack to reach Little America. Serving as flagship during the voyage through the pack, it frequently had to free other ships from the clutches of the unpredictable and shifting ice.

When the aircraft carrier USS Philippine Sea came southward with six transport planes to be used in photographing part of the continent, the Northwind ploughed back through the ice to rendezvous with the large carrier in open water outside the ice pack. It picked up mail for personnel in the Central Group and delivered over 200,000 letters, stamped with the special Antarctic cachet, to be returned to the United States.

LURAY PASTOR TO LEAD BAPTIST REVIVAL SERIES

The Rev. Coy Peterson, pastor of the Baptist Church of Virginia Beach, has announced that the Rev. Roy Smith, pastor of the Main Street Baptist Church of Luray, Virginia, will conduct revival services at the Virginia Beach Church beginning March 30th, and continuing through April 9th. Two services will be conducted daily at 10:30 A. M. and at 7:30 P. M.

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GARDEN CLUB— (Continued from Page One)

the duty of property owners to keep the highways clean.

A letter from R. E. Derring, president of the Virginia Beach Hotel Association, extended congratulations for the movement and promised full cooperation of the Association and its members in furthering the efforts of the Garden Club.

J. H. Berry, district manager of the Virginia Electric and Power Company, assured Miss Hill that the services of a tree trimming contractor has been engaged to see that all trees trimmed for right-of-ways would be cleared away.

Schools Cooperating

F. W. Cox, superintendent of public schools in the county, has requested all school superintendents and teachers of white and colored schools to engage the efforts of school children in this county-wide "Spring cleaning" with the emphasis on making the movement a permanent one and not just a seasonal affair.

Mrs. Pennoyer Speaks on "Trees"

Mrs. Ralph Pennoyer was guest speaker, choosing as her subject "Trees," with special emphasis on the trees native to the State and especially to Princess Anne County. She encouraged every member of a family to know trees, to study their habits and leaves, for "to know them is to love them."

At the conclusion of the meeting tea was served by the hostess.

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Winder Harris Speaks At Bank Association Meeting

Bankers from the Hampton Roads district Group One met in convention at the Cavalier Hotel on Saturday of last week, C. M. Etheridge, chairman of the group, presided at the meetings.

E. E. Mountjoy, secretary of the National Bank Division and deputy of the American Bankers Association, spoke on "Some Current Bank Problems," at the opening meeting. Winder R. Harris, former congressman from the Second District and now vice president of the Shipbuilding Council of America, delivered the address at the annual banquet on Saturday evening. Mr. Harris' topic was "Discounting Washington."

State Convention

The annual three-day State convention of bankers will be held at the Cavalier May 29th through May 31st.

State C. of C. To Meet During April In Richmond

The Virginia State Chamber of Commerce will hold the annual membership meeting of the organization at Richmond on April 16, 17 and 18, Wilfred A. Roper, president, anounced today. The meeting will bring to the city business men from every section of the Old Dominion. Seven committee meetings, two banquets, a forum, and a luncheon devoted to agricultural problems of the Old Dominion are scheduled, as well as a corporate business meeting with reports of officers.

Joseph E. Spruill, manager of the Virginia Beach Chamber of Commerce, is making plans to attend this annual meeting.

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GOVERNOR TUCK OPENS EASTER SEAL SALE FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN

In a ceremony at the State Capitol, Governor William M. Tuck officially opened the 1947 Easter Seal Sale of the Virginia Society for Crippled Children. Also participating in the ceremony are Mayor Horace H. Edwards of Richmond, a member of the Society's state board of directors and a member of the National Cerebral Palsy Parents' Council, and Miss Cornelia S. Adair, president of the Richmond area chapter of the Society. Patricia Raabe, left, who is convalescing from rheumatic fever, and "Andy" Thacker, right, who has recovered from rheumatic fever, are shown selling the first seals to Governor Tuck and Mayor Edwards. The fight against rheumatic fever, one of the foremost crippling diseases, is an important part of the Society's program. Work among persons with epilepsy and cerebral palsy, two other major crippling conditions, is also an important phase of the Society's services.

County Roads Rank High In 1946 Mileage Survey

According to a recent survey completed by the division of traffic and planning of the State Highway Department, Princess Anne County ranks eighth in total vehicle miles per 24 hours in the State. This total was 173,150 miles.

This survey included only "rural" mileage, not counting vehicle miles within city limits and showed an average of 434,600 vehicle miles of daily travel recorded on primary state highways during 1946.

Police and Firemen Complete First Aid Red Cross Course

Standard First Aid certificates of the American Red Cross were issued to the following members of the Virginia Beach police and fire departments:

G. M. Atwater, R. R. Ramsey, J. K. Gregory, C. B. Bell, James Fedus, G. J. Taylor, M. P. Garrison, C. O. Barco, N. C. Taylor, M. T. Holland, C. L. Sanderlin, E. B. Hayne, J. J. Smithson, L. W. Gilbert and M. R. Mathais.

The course was conducted by Dr. D. O. Todd and was completed by the above on February 21st, 1947.

Advertisement

From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

Mystery of the Rocking Chair

Ma Hoskins has a favorite rocking chair that's worn and shabby, with a noisy creak. Pa Hoskins has listened to that squeak for thirty years . . . and he decided to do something about it. So he bought a new rocker, and hid the other in the barn.

Ma allowed as how grateful she was . . . but when Pa missed her one afternoon, he heard a familiar sound that led him to the barn. There was Ma rocking happily in her old chair—squeak . . . squeak.

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Easter Seals For Crippled Children Now In Mails

The fourteenth annual Easter Seal Sale throughout the nation will open in Virginia on Friday, March 7th, it was announced this week by Rev. L. W. Pierce, of Gate City, president of the Virginia Society for Crippled Children and Physically Handicapped Adults, which is conducting the sale in Virginia.

Proceeds will be used to continue the work of the organization among the crippled children and adults in every section of the entire State. The campaign will continue through Easter.

Rev. Pierce, in announcing the 1947 seal sale, said that the work of the Society had about doubled during the past year, services having been provided for over 2,000 persons from practically every city and county in Virginia. "It is our fervent hope that we may continue to serve every worthy case that comes to us. We can do this only through the wholehearted cooperation of the public in this present campaign for more funds," he said.

NELSON— EH

Virginians in many cities and towns throughout the Old Dominion this week will begin a concentrated campaign to raise $138,715 for the relief of China, as a part of an effort being made nationally under the direction of Edward R. Stettinius, Jr., of Orange, Virginia. The State campaign is under the direction of Robert M. Hazelwood, of Toano, Virginia, campaign chairman, and already several thousand Virginians are enlisted in campaigns in seventeen cities and approximately thirty counties.

Other counties and cities in Virginia, notably those in southwestern Virginia and on the Eastern Shore, will hold their campaigns in March, Mr. Hazelwood said. Three cities, Norfolk, Charlottesville, and Waynesboro, have already raised their quotas.

Edward R. Stettinius, Jr., who conferred with campaign leaders at Richmond recently, told Virginians that the Chinese need American aid today more than ever before and that political discord and strife in China should not affect our effort to train leadership, maintain meagre hospital and educational services and extend disaster relief and child care. America's future economic position in China, something that may be of the utmost importance to all of us, is at stake, he pointed out.

L. Raymond Fawcett, campaign field director, this week will complete organizational efforts in the southwestern Virginia area. The campaign is being conducted by volunteer groups, and in many communities is sponsored by the churches on an interdenominational basis.

Rev. Pierce urged everyone who receives Easter Seals to use them on their mail. "Every Easter Seal used helps to advertise our cause," he said.

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Major and Mrs. M. G. Ironside and Mrs. Ironside's mother, Mrs. Annie L. Guthrie, left Wednesday for Orange City, Florida, where they will make their home. The Ironsides formerly owned a home on 116th Street, which was recently sold.

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Mrs. Ola Exon has returned to her home after spending the past week-end in Baltimore as guest of her son, Walter Exon, Mrs. Exon and young daughter, Virginia Leigh Exon.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Petty Dickson, Jr., announce the birth of a daughter, Caroline Tart, on March 11th, at the DePaul Hospital in Norfolk.

Mrs. Warfield Leeke and Mrs. Chester Bissell entertained Tuesday at the Princess Anne Club at a luncheon in celebration of the birthday anniversary of their mother, Mrs. William Murray. Invited guests were: Mrs. Richard Everett, Mrs. Floyd Dormire, Mrs. Edward M. Hardy, Mrs. J. Goodenow Tyler, Mrs. David Shelburne, Mrs. Clinton Woodhouse, Mrs. W. G. Parker, Mrs. John F. Winn, Jr., Mrs. Greyson Willis, Mrs. E. R. Harden, Jr., Mrs. Gray Parker, Mrs. Willard Ashburn and Mrs. Hardy Cole.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clark, of Wilmington, Del., left Friday for Florida after visiting Mr. Clark's sister-in-law, Mrs. Eugene Clark, at her home on 35th Street.

Cadet John F. Winn, III, will arrive next week from Augusta Military Academy, Fort Defiance, Va., to spend two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Winn, Jr., on Raleigh Drive.

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Mr. and Mrs. Howard Waff, of Cary, N. C., are visiting Mrs. William H. Stellwa, Jr., at her home on 25th Street.

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Miss Susan Butler left Friday to spend some time in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

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George Darden, Bobby Moser and Jerry Carpenter will arrive next week from Woodberry Forest School to spend the Spring vacation with their parents.

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Mrs. Paul Everett, of Holland, Virginia, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. George Franklin Darden, at her home on 54th Street.

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Miss Sylvia Carpenter has returned to Finch Junior College in New York City after spending the week-end in Annapolis, Md., and attending the First Class Hop at the U. S. Naval Academy.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson Brown, Miss Martha Brown and John Thompson Brown, Jr., have returned to New River, N. C., after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Woodhouse at their home on Linkhorn Bay.

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Dr. Donald T. Faulkner has returned to the University Hospital, University of Virginia, after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Barr, on 40th Street.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. Richard Harden, III, will arrive Saturday from Chapel Hill, N. C., to spend ten days with Mr. Harden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Harden, Jr., at their home on 36th Street.

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Mrs. Fred W. Baker, of Georgetown, Mass., and Mrs. Robert Sawyer, of Bradford, Mass., arrived Thursday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Gillett at their home on 37th Street.

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VIRGINIA BEACH Garden Club

The March meeting of the Virginia Beach Garden Club was held on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles Slingluff on 54th Street. Mrs. Preston Hix, the president, presided. It was announced that the Garden Club has made plans for a Beautification Week in April. At this time the residents of the Beach will be urged to make every effort to clean and beautify their premises. Mrs. Clinton Woodhouse introduced the guest speaker, Mrs. Edgar Henderson, member of the Massachusetts Horticultural Society, better known as Isabelle Bowen Henderson, noted portrait painter of Raleigh, N. C., who spoke on "Colonr in the Garden." Out-of-town guests invited to hear Mrs. Henderson were: Mrs. C. J. Andrews of Norfolk, president of the Garden Club of Virginia; Mrs. Toy Savage, president of the Norfolk Garden Club; Mrs. Harvey Lindsay, chairman of the State Roadside Beautification; Mrs. Braden Vandeventer, chairman of the Garden Week Tours in Norfolk, and Mrs. M. H. Justice of the Norfolk Garden Club. The officers elected for next year were: Mrs. Preston Hix, president; Mrs. Chas. Slingluff, vice president; Mrs. Wood, recording secretary; Mrs. E. M. Hardy, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. Taylor Johnson, treasurer. Following the meeting tea was served by the hostesses.

Herbert L. Smith, III, has returned to the University of Virginia after spending the week-end at his home on Holly Road.

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Mrs. W. Judson King and Mrs. Clinton Carpenter have returned to their homes after spending three weeks in Florida and Nassau.

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Miss Betty Mae Smith will arrive Friday from Randolph-Macon College, Lynchburg, to spend ten days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith, on Avenue D.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Baldwin have returned to their home in Indianapolis, Indiana, after visiting their niece, Mrs. J. Goodenow Tyler, Jr., and Mr. Tyler, at their home in Rudee Heights.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Brown have returned to their home in Cincinnati, Ohio, after visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Rev Mrs. Charles Carnan, Jr., on 53rd Street.

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Mrs. James R. Boyd attended the two-day D. A. R. conference in Norfolk last week and was the guest at the Monticello Hotel.

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Miss Margaret Mitchell, Regent of the Sycamore Shoals chapter of D. A. R., Bristol, Virginia, spent the week-end with Miss Mary Boyd at the Dundee Inn after attending the D. A. R. conference at the Monticello Hotel in Norfolk.

Artist, to impatient landlord: "In a few years' time people will look up at this miserable studio and say, 'Doakes, the Famous artist, used to work there'."

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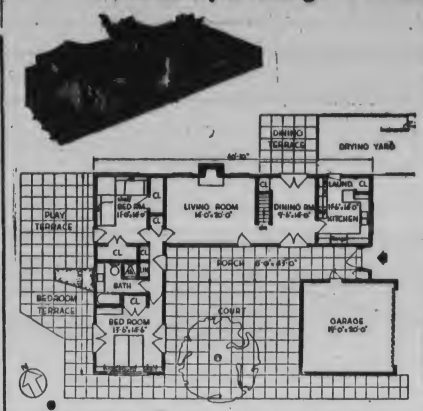

Ranch style cottage that can be built on a 60 x 120-foot lot is shown above as pictured in the February issue of Good Housekeeping magazine. Building plan is shown below. Cottage features five rooms inside, and five "outdoor" rooms doubling its use.

Cavalier Saddle Club Planning Horse Show

Plans are reaching conclusion for the first horse show of the season at the Cavalier Saddle Club under the direction of Kitty and Dick Powell.

The show will be staged at the Cavalier Country Club on Sunday, April 13th, and will begin at 10:30 A. M.

17 Classes Showing

According to the Powells there will be 17 classes including hunter type, trail horse class, and 3 and 5 gaited saddle horse class. Entries from all over the State are expected.

Among the judges will be Dick Woodard of Suffolk, Tom Dornin of Charlottesville, and K. C. Johnson of Virginia Beach.

Riding Horses Available

The Powells are now in their new home near the Cavalier Country Club and announce that there are ten riding horses available, with escort service if desired and that visitors to the stables are welcome. New eight foot trails through the pines have been cut and Jimie Midgett is in attendance over the week-ends to ride with children.

Norfolk YWCA To Close Series March 19

The Spring series of Ladies Day Out, sponsored by tht Norfolk Y. W. C. A., will close a very successful series on Wednesday, March 19th, according to Mrs. G. W. Webber, of the Y. W. C. A. staff.

Dr. W. H. Kelly, head of the Norfolk Mental Hygiene Clinic, will be the final speaker for the Marriage Clinic. His subject will be "The Medical Aspect of Marriage."

The luncheon forum will be devoted to a musical program by the Norfolk Scherzo Club of which Mrs. Luther White is the president.

Officers for the Fall Series will be elected and plans for the new series will be formulated.

Parson: "You asked me to pray for Annabelle last Sunday George. Do you want me to repeat the prayer again this week?"

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Oceana Hi News

OCEANA STUDENTS PLAN DANCE MARCH 15th

A St. Patrick's Day dance for the teen-age group of Oceana High School will be held in the school gymnasium on Saturday, March 15th.

DRAMA CLUB— EH

The Dramatic Society of Oceana High School is rehearsing a one-act play entitled "Elmer," to be presented during the Spring Literary Week observed by schools of the district.

According to R. H. Owen, principal, the society will compete with other Class Two schools, and Oceana has been paired with the South Norfolk School. The date has not yet been announced.

Members of the cast of "Elmer" will include: Donald Bishop as Elmer Collier, Joan Farr as Susan Collier, Marjorie Dowy as Jeanie Collier, Betty Ward as Janie Collier, Rosemary Kernan as Miss Luisa Pinney, Martha Hatchett as Mrs. Collier, Joyce Heberlin as Fannie Bell, Clement Gimbert as Hubert Brown, and Donald Pidgeon as Russell Jamison.

The play will be presented under the direction of Miss Marian Burroughs, a member of the high school staff.

OCEANA HI GLEE CLUB TO SING SUNDAY NIGHT

The Glee Club of Oceana High School, under the direction of Mrs. James M. Carter, will sing a group of sacred choral selections at the evening worship services of the Virginia Beach Methodist Church, Sunday, March 16th, at eight o'clock.

The group, composed of about 50 persons, will be entered in the District Music Festival at Granby High School March 22nd. This is its second year of participation in the annual festival. The public is cordially invited.

COOK'S COUNCIL

By Joan Merritt

Home Home Institute

Hostess Hints

Dessert dido: Quarter, core, cut into ½-inch dice, 2 unpeeled red apples; steep in combined 1 tablespoon juicy, ¼ cup of orange juice. Serve chilled. For 2.

To make poached eggs more perky, combine 1 cup water, ¼ cup [illegible] sauce, ½ teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon butter, and 1 teaspoon chopped chives or green onions. Heat. Slip eggs one at a time, into mixture and poach, basting with sauce until eggs are cooked as desired. Serve on toast. Serves 6.

Food value gets a flavor lift. In bowl place ½ cup peanut butter, ½ cup orange juice, 1 teaspoon grated orange rind, ½ teaspoon salt; beat till smooth. Makes six sandwiches.

Bean plate quickie: oven-baked beans, chilled, served on crisp lettuce leaves along with slices baked ham, veal loaf or salami, and lengthwise [illegible] genuine dill pickle.

[illegible] for future Americans [illegible] rations uses pioneer products [illegible] native food developments. Combine, mixing thoroughly, 1 qt. heavy cream, 1½ cups maple syrup, ⅔ cup peanut butter. Freeze in freezer or pour into refrigerator trays and partially freeze. Stir once, then continue freezing until solid. Slice and serve between Lincoln log cookies. For Washington's birthday heap into sherbet glasses and top with maraschino cherries.

Valentine tortes for tea or family supper celebrations: Buy heart-shaped meringues, or make them so: beat until frothy 4 egg whites. Add, beating until very stiff ½ cup granulated sugar. Fold in carefully with spoon ¾ cup powdered sugar. Place large spoonfuls on lightly greased cooky sheet, then shape with spoon into shell hearts. Or place meringue mixture in pastry bag and form shells on cooky sheet. Bake in a slow oven (300° F.) 30 to 40 minutes, leaving the door open slightly. When meringues are done they can be removed easily from sheet to wire cooler without breaking. Meringues keep well in a dry place if not used at time of baking. (Makes 16 small or 12 large shells). Top each heart with serving of slightly sweetened canned or frozen drained cherries, strawberries, or raspberries. Crown with whipped cream made so: Combine in skillet, blending together well, 2 tablespoons peanut butter, 2 tablespoons sugar; cook, stirring constantly 3 minutes till mixture begins to grain and has caramelized odor. Cool; fold in 1 cup whipping cream, whipped. Garnish with fruit.

Omelet in order? Give it sweet tooth appeal by spreading jelly in just before serving. Tossed vegetable salad makes ideal eating partner.

Dip ½-inch slices liverwurst in beaten egg, then in bread crumbs. Sauté in fat till lightly browned on both sides. Combine one part meat drippings, two parts [illegible] spices; serve over liverwurst.

Cut dill pickles into 4 lengthwise slices each. Cut sliced American or Swiss cheese into 1 inch wide strips. Alternate 2 slices pickle with 3 strips cheese. Place in pocket of Parkerhouse roll. Bake in moderate oven till cheese melts. Family favorite!

Meal-in-a-dish is time and effort saving, proves popular with [illegible]: Parboil until almost tender 6 medium sweet potatoes; drain, cool. Slice and arrange in greased baking pan in two layers, sprinkling each layer with salt, pepper, 1 teaspoon grated orange peel, 3 tablespoons brown sugar, ¼ cup peanut butter. Brown 1 lb. link pork sausage; place on potatoes. Drain fat from skillet. Add ½ cup water. Boil, stirring. Pour over casserole. Bake (350° F.)

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The undersigned, having qualified as Administrator of the Estate of Annie M. Holland deceased, it is requested that all payments due to the deceased, and all claims against the deceased duly certified be presented as soon as possible at my residence, 53rd Street Virginia Beach, Virginia.
HARRY R. HOLLAND, SR., Administrator of the Estate of Annie M. Holland deceased,
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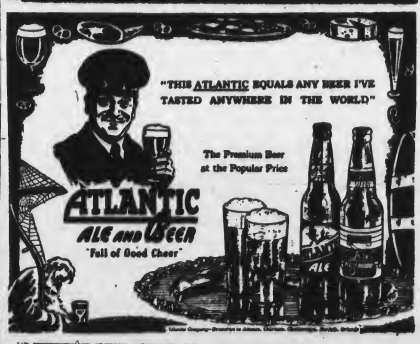

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OLD JUDGE: "Those steers have certainly done well, Hank. They've put on a lot of weight since I saw them last time. Don't tell me..."

HANK: "Yes, Judge, you guessed it... I'm usin' those distillers' dried grains... like you recommended. How did you know they were so good?"

OLD JUDGE: "It only stands to reason, Hank. All the distillers take out of grain during distilling is the starch. The part rich in vitamins and proteins is recovered...dried ...and returned to the farmers as highly nutritious feed supplements. Doesn't it help you save your original grain in feeding, too?"

HANK: "Sure does...about 20%. And my cattle, livestock and poultry are thrivin' like they never did before. I'm savin' grain and gettin' fatter, healthier livestock."

OLD JUDGE: "Guess nobody can tell you anymore that distillers waste grain, can they Hank?"

HANK: "Not me, Judge...I know the truth now."

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-Churches-

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH— EH

The First Baptist Church, 17th Street at Arctic Avenue, announces special prayer meetings for the week of March 23rd, in preparation for revival services which begin on March 30th and continue through April 9th.

Monday, March 24th, 8:00 P. M.:

Meetings will be held on Monday, March 24th, at the following homes: Mr. R. H. Owen, at his home, Oceana, Va.; Mr. Wm. Braithwaite, at his home, 411 16th Street; Mr. E. T. Hutsenpiller, at him home, Baltic Avenue at 30th Street; Mr. A. A. Rogers, at the home of Mr. John Deedrick, 306 25th Street.

Tuesday, March 25th, 8:00 P. M.:

On Tuesday, March 25th, meetings will be held at the homes of: Mr. A. L. Fisher, at his home, 413 16th Street; Mr. W. A. Grant, at the home of Mrs. S. B. Johnson, 37th Street; Mr. K. L. Jard, at his home, 418 22nd Street; Mr. J. W. Modlin, at the home of Mr. R. N. Browder, 308 17th Street.

Wednesday, March 26th, 7:30 P. M.: Everybody at the Church, the pastor leading.

Thursday, March 27th:

2:30 P. M.: Woman's Missionary Society, at the church.

8:00 P. M.: Mr. L. C. Mallory, at his home, 16th Street.

Scripture Lesson: II Chronicles, 7:14.

Galilee Services

It is with great pleasure that the Rector and Vestry of Galilee Episcopal Church announce that the guest preacher for next Wednesday evening, March 26th, will be the Rev. Reginald W. Eastman, B. D., Rector of Ware Church, Gloucester, Virginia. This service of Evening Prayer and Litany will be held at eight o'clock.

The Rev. and Mrs. Eastman will be affectionately remembered by many of the residents of Virginia Beach, as he was Rector of Galilee Church during the ten years from 1930 to 1940. Mr. Eastman was educated at Middlebury College, Vermont, and at the General Theological Seminary in New York and the Philadelphia Divinity School. He is a man of great ability and charm and is a very fine preacher.

All friends and members of Galilee Church are cordially invited and urged to come and welcome Mr. eastman back to his old pulpit on Wednesday evening.

Tides and Sun

TIDE CALENDAR FOR VIRGINIA BEACH AND CAPE HENRY

(Reported by U. S. Weather Bureau, Cape Henry)

TIDE CALENDAR.

Date	High	Low
TIDE AND SUN—		Est
March 21 a.m.	7:08	12:58
March 21 p.m.	7:19	1:19
March 22 a.m.	7:46	1:39
March 22 p.m.	8:02	1:59
March 23 a.m.	8:28	2:24
March 23 p.m.	8:46	2:40
March 24 a.m.	9:12	3:11
March 24 p.m.	9:31	3:21
March 25 a.m.	9:57	3:59
March 25 p.m.	10:20	4:05
March 26 a.m.	10:45	4:43
March 26 p.m.	11:11	4:52
March 27 a.m.	11:36	5:42
March 27 p.m.	12:06	5:43

Days of Week	Sun Rises	Sun Sets
Friday	6:07	6:17
Saturday	6:05	6:17
Sunday	6:04	6:18
Monday	6:02	6:19
Tuesday	6:01	6:20
Wednesday	5:59	6:21
Thursday	5:58	6:22

To obtain tides of high or low water from above times: Lynnhaven Inlet, add 30 minutes. Ocean View, add 45 minutes; Old Point, add 45 minutes; Oregon Inlet, subtract 45 minutes.

OCEANA HI SCHOOL DRAMA CLUB WINS SEMI-FINAL CONTEST

The Dramatic Club of the Oceana High School has won the semi-final contest in the one act play class in the Group 2, District 1, of Tidewater Virginia. Oceana, Churchland, Alexander Park and Warwick County high schools competed, according to announcement by R. H. Owens, principal of the Oceana High School.

Oceana eliminated South Norfolk and Portlock High on Tuesday evening and won final place from Churchland High on Wednesday. Mr. Owens said this victory will entitle the Oceana Dramatic Club to enter the State-wide contest to be held in Charlottesville on March 28th.

Cast and Players

Under the direction of Miss Burroughs, the club presented the one-act play, "Emer," by B. H. McNeil. Those participating in the production were: Donald Bishop, Donald Pidgeon, Clement Gimbert, Joan Fau, Betty Ward, Marjorie Dowdy, Martha Hatchett and Rose Mary Harmon.

Oceana Music Group

Mr. Owens further announced that the Oceana Music Group, consisting of 50 voices, will compete in the Music Festival in Norfolk on March 22nd.

Softball League To Elect Officers

E. B. Bayne, manager of the Virginia Beach Softball League, called a meeting of the managers and sponsors of the league on March 18th for the purpose of passing on by-laws and regulations for the league in the coming season. Members selected uniforms to be used by the teams and placed an order.

Open Meeting

Mr. Bayne announces that an open meeting will be held Thursday, March 27th, at the Town Hall at 8 P. M. for the purpose of electing officers and making plans for the coming season. Such keen interest was shown in the softball games last season that Mr. Bayne feels more complete organization must be planned for the coming season.

Contracts will be available at this meeting and all persons interested in the game are asked to be present.

Misses Hill Win At New York Flower Show

Miss Evelyn Collins Hill has been awarded a silver medal by the International Horticultural Society for her exhibit of Camellias, spring flowers, blooming shrubs and clivia grown in her garden at Sea Breeze Farm. The exhibits were shown at the International Flower Show in Grand Central Palace in New York.

Miss Evelyn Hill and Miss Elizabeth Gregory Hill have been spending several days in New York. While there Miss Elizabeth Hill attended the luncheon Thursday of the Rock Garden Society, of which she is a vice president, at the Pennsylvania Hotel. On Thursday Miss Hill attended the Garden Club of America luncheon at the Waldorf Hotel, and the dinner given at the Waldorf by the International Horticultural Society.

Lee Roy Henley Is Found After Nite In Woods

Lee Roy Henley, missing from his home on Norfolk Avenue since Tuesday morning, was found on Parks Avenue, near 15th Street, in a semi-conscious condition on Wednesday afternoon, after the exposure of Tuesday night.

When he did not return to his home Tuesday evening Virginia Beach Boy Scout troops, local police and residents were called for aid in locating him. He was found by Mr. T. L. Etheridge and taken to the office of Dr. Waller Taylor. The Virginia Beach ambulance took him to the Marine Hospital where, as a veteran, he was admitted.

Masons Planning New Temple

Plans are underway for the construction of a new Masonic Temple on the northwest corner of Arctic Avenue and Twentieth St., Virginia Beach, according to an announcement released by Worshipful Master John H. Bell.

Bell said that the new building has been designed to meet the current requirements of the Lodge which has grown from a membership of 12 persons when it was hartered February 14, 1912, to the present membership of more than 200 persons.

Construction plans call for the erection of a two-story brick building, 42 x 80 feet, on a site measuring 72 x 110 feet, at a cost of approximately $20,000. The lower floor will consist of a dining room and kitchen, while the entire upper floor will be used as an assembly hall.

The old Masonic Hall on Sixteenth Street and Pacific Avenue, one of the town's more familiar landmarks, will be placed on the market for disposal, Bell said.

The building committee which is in charge of arrangements for the proposed structure consists of Chairman William R. Payne, John Marr, Charles Saunders, Randolph May, Steve Salzer, Foy Casper, Lloyd M. Jard, Sr., and Graham Hurst.

Officers of the organization, in addition to Worshipful Master Bell, include: J. H. Parron, senior warden; John Marr, junior warden; E. P. Aydlette, senior deacon; J. W. Wolcott, junior deacon; Charles Saunders, chaplain, and C. E. Hobeck, treasurer.

NOTICE

Due to conditions beyond our control we have a limited advertising space in this week's "News."

If your ad is smaller than authorized, blame it on the newsprint shortage. We wish to give everyone who wishes it SOME space instead of just a few MUCH space.

Miss Ann Kyle and Leighton Simmons will leave Friday to spend the week-end at Mary Washington College, Fredericksburg, Virginia.

Legion Auxiliary Gives $100 To Playground Fund

Assistant Fire Chief E. B. Bayne spoke to the members of the Princess Anne County American Legion Auxiliary on March 17th at the U. S. O. He spoke of the benefits to the community of the playground, which is sustained entirely by public contributions and volunteer helpers; a large part of the work having been done by the local police and firemen. Mr. Bayne expressed pleasure at the interest of the public, as shown by crowded attendance at all the games or events held at the playground.

Unit 113 voted to contribute the sum of $100.00 to the playground fund.

Unit 113 wishes to remember at Easter all residents of Princess Anne County who are in veterans' hospitals during the holiday. They do not wish any veteran to be overlooked and are asking that the name of any veteran who is hospitalized be turned in to Mrs. Foy Casper, Oceana, Phone 311-J.

Open House At Ft. Story Army Week

As a part of the celebration of National Army Week, which begins on April 6th, the Public Relations Office of Fort Story has announced that the fort will play host to the general public in an "open house" to be staged April 7th from one to five P. M.

Inspection tours by bus will be conducted to all points of the fort and various types of equipment will be placed on display for inspection by the visitors.

The National Guard, Enlisted Reserve Corps, Officers Reserve Corps, and the Reserve Officers Training Corps of the local area are cooperating in the undertaking.

This, the first observance of an army week in the history of that military branch, has as its theme "A Strong America Is A Peaceful America."

Col. Kenneth McKatty is in command of the post as well as the Harbor Defenses of Chesapeake Bay.

Ellis Tucker left Tuesday for Newcastle, Del., after visiting his sister, Miss Lila Tucker, at her home on Ocean Front.

Peter Wells has returned to his home in Alanton after spending the week-end in Washington, D.

Civic League Enrolls Twelve New Members

The regular meeting of the South Virginia Beach Civic League and signers of the petition with reference to the location of the proposed gas plant, met in a joint meeting at the W. T. Cooke School on Monday evening.

The Rev. Mr. Forrester, president, called for a report of the By-Laws Committee, headed by Joseph Seibert. After hearing the recommended by-laws, a motion was made by Mr. Frank Klepper that action be delayed on accepting the by-laws until members had had more time to study the contents and that they be tabled until the April meeting.

Mr. Talley, chairman of the "Law Committee" reported recommendations of the committee in special call meeting, and, after open discussion from the floor this matter was also deferred for further consideration, upon recommendation of Mr. James Kelly, who stated that in-as-much as the League had not accepted the by-laws and constitution, the organization was not in a position to vote on any recommendations or action to be taken by the League as a whole.

New Members

Mr. James A. Clifton made a recommendation that the signers of the petition present who were not members of the South Virginia Beach League be invited to join the League. The invitation was accepted by 12 members present.

The Rev. Forrester opened and closed the meeting with prayer.

Special Meeting Of O. E. S. Officers

Officers of the Virginia Beach Chapter No. 75, Order of Eastern Star, for 1947-48 will be installed at a special meeting to be held on Saturday, March 22nd, in the Ocean Club, 16th Street, Virginia Beach.

Grand installing officer will be Mrs. Emma L. Gray, Past Grand Matron, assisted by the following: Mrs. Edna Hendricks, Grand Marshall; Mrs. Edith Caton, Grand Chaplain; Mrs. Myrtice Parker, Grand Organist; Mrs. Estelle Carr, Grand Warder, and Mr. Emery Smith, Grand Sentinel.

All members are invited to attend.

Griffin Deal of the "News" is a patient in de Paul Hospital in Norfolk.

CHEF'S TOURNAMENT ENDS WITH PLANS FOR COOKERY INSTITUTE

Virginia's first Master Chef's Tournament closed officially last Saturday evening with Governor and Mrs. William Tuck as guests to partake of the feast.

Seven of the finest chefs in Virginia took a daily turn at serving the guests of the Cavalier Hotel with food designed to stimulate a revival of the old fashioned cooking traditionally famous in the South.

The final meal, as suggested by Virginia's Governor, was strictly Southern with a distinct flavor of "Ole Virginia" and consisted of fried chicken and corn pone, with turnip greens, Old Dominion style, stewed tomatoes, blackeyed peas, Southern style, sweet potato pudding, mansion style and with pecans added, Virginia Spring salad bowl, dressing, buttermilk biscuits, and—besides a choice of beverages—Virginia Winesap apple pie.

Robert F. Nelson, director of public relations of the State Chamber of Commerce, conceived the idea of the tournament out of which has grown plans for a two weeks course in food preparation which would be open to cooks and bakers from the most fashionable hostelries down to the smallest of lunch counters.

Nelson said that aid in the establishment of the Cookery Research Institute will be sought from the Virginia Hotel Association, the Virginia Restaurant Association and the Virginia Motor Court Association, which, in combination, represent practically all the establishments in which food is served in Virginia.

"And it's not too difficult an objective," Nelson opined, in announcing that he had received the assurance of Pierre Berard, one of the judges in attendance, that he could provide a staff of cooks and bakers for the VPI culinary seminar. Berard is food supervisor of Government Services, Inc., which operates 53 cafeterias for Federal employees throughout the country, and also is a member of Societe Culinaire Philantropique.

More expeditious will be another outgrowth of the tournament—the publication of recipes of 19 dishes which the economists felt were the best and most representative of Virginia cuisine for distribution to all eating houses in the State.

List of Judges

Pierre J. Berard, food supervisor, Government Services, Inc., Washington, D. C.; Betty Brownell, food editor, National Association of Food Chains, Washington; J. George Frederick, president, The Gourmet Society, New York; Grace Hartley, food editor, Atlanta Journal, Atlanta, Ga.; Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Hines, Bowling Green, Ky.; Mr. and Mrs. W. Lovrie Kay, Christian Science Monitor; Gaynor Maddox, NEA Food and Market Editor, New York; Helen Robertson, Home Economics Editor, Cleveland Plain Dealer, Cleveland, Ohio; Martha Meyn Slagback, food editor, Washington Post, Washington, D. C.; and Courtenay Terrett, Philadelphia, Pa.

On successive days chefs having charge of the Cavalier cuisine are the following: John Rollery, chef of the General Shelby, Bristol; C. F. Johnston, chef of the Natural Bridge Hotel; James Fountain, of the Monticello and Beach Plaza Hotels (Norfolk and Virginia Beach); Fred Crawford, Williamsburg Inn; Laurence P. Darden, John Marshall Hotel, Richmond; Fred R. Brown, Hotel Roanoke, Roanoke, and Harry E. Rippeon, George Washington Hotel, Winchester.

Exhibit Of Old Books March 25th

Mrs. Anthony, chairman of the Book Study Group of the Woman's Club, wishes to announce that an exhibit of old books will be held in connection with the regular exchange date of books on Tuesday, March 25th.

Old Bibles, educational books and fictional books will be on display at the home of the chairman, 311 29th Street, and all members of the Book Study Group are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. William Woodley and Miss Julia deWitt have returned to their homes after visiting their brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius deWitt, in Richmond.

COUNTY REAL ESTATE REVIEW

By E. P Crockett, Jr.

A regular building boom is under way on Laskin Road (21st St.). This activity is partially due to the widening of the street which is scheduled to begin in the near future. "Benny" Murden is building a commercial structure in which he will operate an appliance store and an automobile showroom, besides having three store spaces to rent.

Across the street from the new Colonial Store's "Star" Market, Kenneth Cruiser and Sidney Gregory have the walls well up on a two "compartment" building, in one half of which they will operate a dry cleaning plant and have one store to rent.

Across the street on the corner of Pacific, H. W. Brown is adding thre units to his two stores already under lease.

The owner of the southwest corner of Laskin and Pacific told your reporter that he is drawing plans for a 24-family apartment house, which is described as an attractive looking three story brick building.

Folks who know say that a "future" has long been just ahead of this arterial street; it now looks as if that "future" is here.

County building permits issued:

Jack Stein, residence, Lot 17, Block 10, Section "D"; $6,500.

Dewey G. Weddle, garage apartment, Lot 1, Block 9, Section "E", 108th Street; $1,500.00.

Rosalie W. Shames and Lillian Epstein, garage apartment, Lot 1, Block 7, New Virginia Beach, 36th Street; $7,500.

John A. Gurkin, residence, Lot 1, Replat B20, Section "E", 32nd Street; $7,000.

W. D. Joyner, garage, Lot 6, Block 21, Section "E"; $600.

J. E. C. Davis, et al, addition to Pine Tree Inn, Virginia Beach Boulevard; $7,000.

H. Leon Bullen, dwelling, Lot 14, Block 11, Section "G", Cape Henry; $8,000.

Property transfers:

Edith W. Burden to Monte S. Schlagel, Lot 4, Block 23, Section "D", east side of Atlantic Boulevard between 114th and 116th Street; tax .55.

Frank O. Nottingham and Wife to Irving F. Truitt, Lot 10, Block 5, Section "E", 116th Street, east side; tax $1.00.

Raymond W. Bolen and Wife to Hazel S. Sullivan, parts of Lots 3 and 4, Block 68, 60 feet at southwest corner of Arctic and 20th Streets; tax $20.00.

Vincent J. Rhode and Wife to Rhode J. Vincent, southern one-half of Lots 30 and 32, Block 10, Section "F", northern side of 32nd Street; tax $22.25.

Margaret A. Taylor and Hugo T. Taylor, husband and Wife, and Frances Stewart, Cor. Lot 21, and the eastern 40 feet of Lot 22, with improvements, Block 12, Ulverson, which is on the north side of 33rd Street, west of the Boulevard; tax $20.00.

H. E. Poole to Walter A. Shaner and Wife, Site 5, Linkhorn Park; tax $5.00.

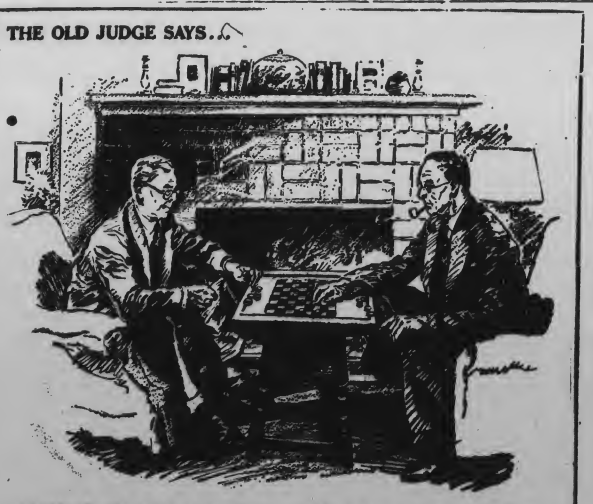
Richard D. Hallstrom and Wife to Howard W. Bowman, Lots 35 and 36, Hollins, Avenue "B", west of Boulevard; tax $2.75.

Louis Shell and Wife to Wm. H. Billings, Sr., and Wife, Lot 32, Block 14, 40 feet on the south side of 23rd Street; tax $1.00.

George A. Rumble and Wife to Elizabeth R. Church, Lots 8, 10 and 12, Block 13, Section "F", on 118th Street, west of Boulevard; tax $2.25.

Frank O. Nottingham and Wife to George H. Hudson, Lot 31, Block 5, Section "F", 118th Street, east of Boulevard; tax $2.25.

THE OLD JUDGE SAYS...



FRANK: "Would you mind repeating those percentages again, Judge . . . they're very interesting to me?"

OLD JUDGE: "Certainly, Frank. Men who have made a study of drinking report that 95% of those who drink, drink sensibly. 5% drink excessively at times. And included in that 5% is the small percentage of drinkers known as alcoholics."

FRANK. "And what was that about alcoholics being sick people?"

OLD JUDGE: "That is what scientific research disclosed. In other words, it was found that, in most cases, it was not a craving for alcohol that made people drink to excess. Alcoholics were found to be suffering from some deep-rooted mental, physical or emotional condition. If they hadn't turned to alcohol for escape, they would have turned to something else."

FRANK: "I am glad to learn about that enlightened viewpoint, Judge. I can see how it is possible to cure so many of these sick folks today . . . now the real cause is known."

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Entered as second class matter August 7, 1925, at the post office of Virginia Beach, Va., under the act of March 3, 1879.

"THE VOICE of a majority, swaying the course of government does not insure good government except it be the voice of a well informed and well intentioned people."

BIG BOYS GETTING MOST NEWSPRINT

Yes, there has been a real shortage of newsprint paper for a long, long time. As usual, there has been discrimination. The Government used more paper than was necessary. The big dailies and magazines were the best customers and the easiest to supply. The small newspapers took the rap, and they are still getting the short end of the deal.

Evidently less than 15 per cent of the total output of newsprint is sufficient to take care of all Family Dailies and Weeklies printed outside the metropolitan areas. United States Senator Capehart is an energetic champion of "ye small papers," and he holds an advantageous post on the Senate Small Business Committee, which has close connections with the U. S. Department of Commerce. Editors and publishers who feel an urge to push for their rights, could help to do a useful job by telling their own representatives and senators that "now is the time to come to the aid of their party."

AN EXCELLENT NEGRO PAPER

Those familiar with the Norfolk Journal and Guide, the excellent Negro weekly published by P. B. Young and edited by P. B. Young, Jr., were not surprised when it received the Wendell L. Willkie Award "for public service to the community." This award was established to recognize merit in the Negro press of the nation and to promote higher journalistic standards. The memorial was established two years ago and the Journal and Guide has produced a winner both years. This is not surprising as the Journal and Guide is a newspaper with integrity and a keen journalistic sense. It is a well edited publication. We are pleased to congratulate its published, editor and staff on the nation-wide recognition they have received.

—Winchester Evening Star.

45th ANNIVERSARY

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Legals

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

TAKE NOTICE that I, the undersigned, shall apply to the Board of Supervisors of Princess Anne County, Virginia, at its next regular meeting at Princess Anne Court House on March 24th, 1947, at the hour of ten o'clock, A. M., or as soon thereafter as I may be heard, for the granting of a permit to erect a fishing pier on the shores and in the Atlantic Ocean in front of Lots Eight (8) and Nine (9), Block "G" of the Plat of the Virginia Beach Holding Corporation, near the Town of Virginia Beach, in Lynnhaven Magisterial District of Princess Anne County, Virginia. Plans and specifications of said pier will be on display at the said meeting.

GIVEN under my hand this 17th day of March, 1947.

GLADYS S. EARL.

AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

PURSUANT TO the terms of a certain decretal order entered in the Circuit Court of Princess Anne County, Virginia, on the 15th day of March, 1947, in the chancery cause of Commonwealth of Virginia, Plaintiff, against John W. Carroll, et als, Defendants, the undersigned, Special Commissioner, will offer for sale, at public auction, at Princess Anne Court House, Princess Anne, Virginia, on Monday, March 24, 1947, at 12:00 noon, the following property in the County of Princess Anne, Virginia, to-wit:

"All that certain piece or parcel of land, situated, lying and being in Pungo Ridge, and known as the swamp land of Jesse Barnes, dec'd., being devised to J. T. Barnes by will of the said Jesse Barnes, dec'd., containing thirty-seven and one-half (37½) acres, more or less, and bounded and described as follows: on the North by the land of J. W. Carroll; on the East by Samuel Burgess; on the South by J. A. Barnes, and West by the Pollard Tract; and being the same property which was conveyed to John W. Carroll, as J. W. Carroll, by deed of James T. Barnes, et ux, dated September 28, 1899, and duly recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Princess Anne County, Virginia, in Deed Book 69, page 29."

This property will be sold free from all liens and encumbrances.

TERMS: CASH.

The Court reserves the right to reject or accept any and all bids.

The purchasers will be required to deposit twenty per cent of the bid price when the property is knocked down, and to consumate their purchase within ten days after sales are approved by the Court.

P. W. ACKISS,
Special Commissioner.

I certify that the bond required by above decree has been given by the Special Commissioner.

WILLIAM F. HUDGINS, Clerk
By: L. S. BELTON, Deputy Clerk

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PURSUANT TO the terms of a certain decretal order entered in the Circuit Court of Princess Anne County, Virginia, on the 15th day of March, 1947, in the chancery cause of Commonwealth of Virginia, Plaintiff, against Jesse P. Duggan, et als, Defendants, the undersigned, Special Commissioner, will offer for sale, at public auction, at Princess Anne Court House, Princess Anne, Virginia, on Monday, March 24, 1947, at 12:00 noon, the following property located in the County of Princess Anne, Virginia, to-wit:

"A certain lot of land in Princess Anne County, known, numbered and designated as Lot Four (4), Block Two (2), on Plat numbered One (1) of East Ocean View, made by S. F. Day, Civil Engineer, and recorded in the Clerk's Office of said County in Map Book 2, at page 55, which was conveyed to James P. Duggan by deed of East Ocean View Land Company, Incorporated, dated August 13, 1908, and recorded in Deed Book 81, at page 282."

This property will be sold free from all liens and encumbrances.

TERMS: CASH.

The Court reserves the right to reject or accept any and all bids.

The purchasers will be required to deposit twenty per cent of the bid price when the property is knocked down, and to consumate their purchase within ten days after sales are approved by the Court.

P. W. ACKISS,
Special Commissioner

I certify that the bond required by above decree has been given by the Special Commissioner.

WILLIAM F. HUDGINS, Clerk
By: L. S. BELTON, Deputy Clerk

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"All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, known, numbered and designated as Lot Number Twelve (12), in Block Eleven (11), as shown on the Plat of Ubermeer, which plat is duly recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Princess Anne County, Virginia, in Map Book 7, at page 150, reference to said plat being hereby made for a more particular description of said land."

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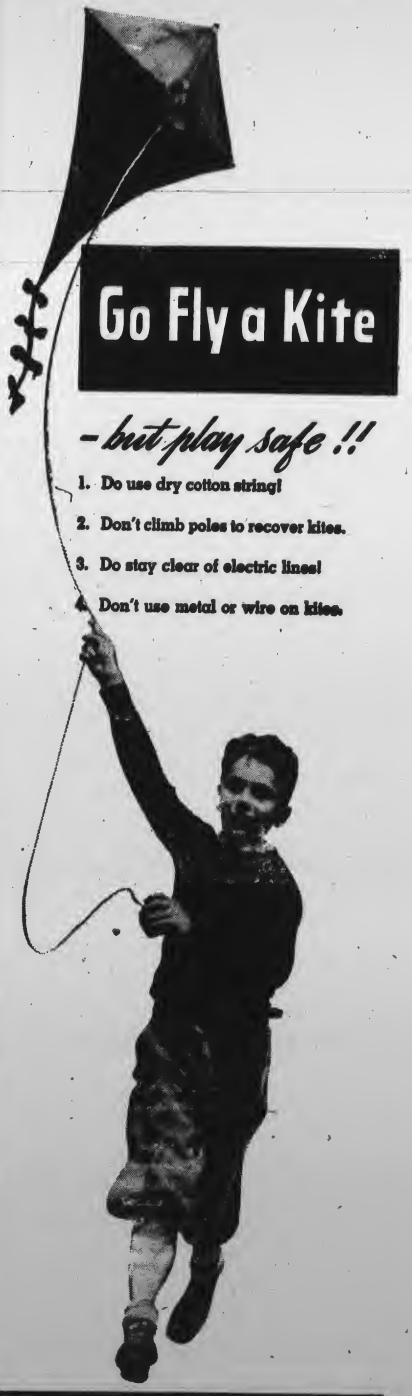

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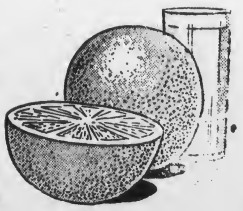

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Mrs. S. Hardy Cole, Local Reporter

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Dr. and Mrs. Nicholson B. Adams, of Chapel Hill, N. C., arrived Wednesday to spend several days with Miss Elizabeth Bain on 118th Street.

Dr. and Mrs. Wm. Morton Dey, of Chapel Hill, N. C., spent Thursday with Miss Elizabeth Bain.

Jane Kornegay will arrive Friday from Duke University to spend the Spring vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Kornegay, on 53rd Street. She will be accompanied by Mr. R. F. Kibler, a medical student at Duke, who will also be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Kornegay.

Mrs. John Turner will entertain Saturday afternoon at her home on 36th Street at a party in celebration of the seventh birthday anniversary of her daughter, Betsy Turner. The guests invited will number twenty.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Whitehurst entertained Sunday evening at their home on 54th Street at a buffet supper in honor of Miss Pauline Harrell of Norfolk whose marriage to Fred Storey of Boykins, Virginia, took place Wednesday evening in the First Baptist Church in Norfolk. The guests present numbered about fifteen.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Woodhouse, Jr., announce the birth of a daughter on Sunday, March 16, in Raleigh, N. C.

Mrs. Waller R. Staples, of Roanoke, Virginia, is visiting her niece, Mrs. Fielding Jeter, and Mr. Jeter at their home on 109th St.

Mrs. Robert P. Friesz and two daughters of Tall Timbers, Maryland, are spending some time with Mrs. Friesz' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Elmer Johnson, at their home, Somerset Farms.

Scott Sterling returned Monday to his home on 25th Street after spending several months in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clark will arrive Friday from Florida to spend the week-end with Mrs. Eugene Clark on 35th Street, before returning to their home in Wilmington, Delaware.

Miss Mary Brownley Smith has returned to her home in Franklin, Virginia, after spending the week-end with Miss Evelyn Whitehurst on 54th Street.

A. Gardner Harden has returned to the University of Virginia after spending the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Harden, Jr., at their home on 36th Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Barnett have arrived from New York to spend some time at the Princess Anne Club.

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Dance At Oc'n Club

The Virginia Beach Coast Guard Welfare League will sponsor a dance at the Ocean Club, 16th and Atlantic Avenue, on March 29th, according to announcement by Mrs. B. W. Wroton, chairman of the League.

Mrs. C. E. McChesney and Mrs. Delmas Jester are co-chairmen with Mrs. Wroton for arrangements. Dancing will be from 9 to 12, and music will be furnished by an orchestra.

For further particulars call committee members.

Mrs. W. W. Cox, Jr., and young son returned to their home in Rudee Heights after visiting Mrs. Cox's sister, Mrs. Robert Esslinger, at her home in Winchester, Mass.

James Nicholson will arrive on Friday from Richmond to spend the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Nicholson, at their home on 40th Street.

Mrs. Gustav Firebus will leave Saturday to spend several days visiting in Philadelphia, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Blaine McClain left Wednesday for Washington, D. C., after visiting Mrs. Lloyd Wickersham at her home on 54th Street.

Misses Katherine Wood and Marie Sparks will arrive Tuesday from St. Margaret's School, Tappahannock, Virginia to spend the spring vacation with their parents.

Mrs. Thomas Woodhouse left on last Sunday to visit her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Woodhouse, Jr., in Raleigh, N. C.

Mrs. Jane Monsarrat arrived on Wednesday from Providence, R. I., to spend some time at the Cavalier Hotel.

Robert Pope has returned to New York after visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Turner at their home on 36th Street.

Mrs. C. A. Nash, III, left Monday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Motravers, at their home in Palo Alto, California.

Mrs. R. Lawson Miles, Jr., left Wednesday to visit Capt. and Mrs. Alfred P. Randolph at their home in Annapolis, Maryland.

Capt. and Mrs. Ralph Pennozer have returned to their home in Birdneck Point after spending several weeks in Florida.

Mrs. Gray Langhorne and Mrs. Emily Gustafson returned Sunday to their home in Cavalier Park after spending a month in Florida.

Rev. Churchill Gibson has returned to his home in Richmond after visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wood on Pocahontas Drive.

Mrs. W. A. Lucas, of Wilson, N. C., and Mrs. J. T. Terry, of Nashville, Tenn., have returned to their homes after visiting their brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Hale Jennings, on 54th Street.

Ned Langhorne has returned to his home in Cavalier Park after spending a month with Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Lee, on 52nd Street.

Rev. and Mrs. Reginald Eastman will arrive next week from Gloucester, Virginia, to visit Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor at their home in Linkhorn Park.

Mrs. Roger Hienie arrived Wednesday from Garden City, L. I., to visit her niece, Mrs. William P. Dickson, Jr., and Mr. Dickson, at their home on 97th Street.

Mrs. Francis Whittle Greene is visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Comdr. and Mrs. Philip C. Morgan, at their home in Annapolis, Maryland.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Royster are spending some time in Palm Beach, Florida.

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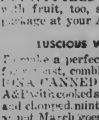

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A MESSAGE FROM THE SECRETARY OF WAR

How you can help YOUR ARMY DO ITS PART FOR PEACE

WITH the President's proposal for the discontinuance of Selective Service on March 31, America will rely on voluntary enlistments for the maintenance of the Regular Army at authorized strength.

In view of world conditions today, this is a step of the gravest importance to every American citizen. Never before in history has any nation raised and maintained a million-man army by the volunteer system alone. Our ideals, our belief in individual freedom, our safety and our duty to promote world peace — all are bound up in this decision.

This is *your* Army, and voluntary enlistment is your choice. It must not fail. With your help it *will not* fail. The Army must continue to provide adequate occupation forces overseas, to supply these forces, and to help in keeping America strong and secure.

Your help and understanding can do much to encourage a steady flow of 3-year voluntary enlistments, necessary to sound training and the efficient performance of the Army's task.

When you discuss this subject with your sons, brothers, husbands or friends who may be considering an Army career, bear in mind the advantages offered by a 3-year enlistment. Among them are the choice of branch of service and of overseas theater where openings exist, and the opportunity for thorough training in valuable skills.

A job in the new Regular Army compares favorably with the average in industry, and has more opportunities for promotion than most.

You can help by giving your respect and support to the man who enlists voluntarily — to do his part in carrying out your country's world-wide obligations to build a peace that will endure.

ROBERT P. PATTERSON
SECRETARY OF WAR

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PRINCESS ANNE WOMEN TO TAKE PART IN CAPE HENRY DAY FETE

The Princess Anne Chapter of the Order of Cape Henry 1607 will be accepted into the National Order on April 26 at a short business meeting preceeding the annual luncheon at the Cavalier. Sponsored by the Princess Anne Woman's Club, the new chapter has a present enrollment of 100 members and Mrs. Russell Hatchett announces that from 10 to 11:30 a.m., April 26 there will be an enrollment at the Cavalier Hotel, of those wishing to join the local chapter.

Mrs. Wallace Clark has been appointed as president of this group. Other officers, selected to represent the churches, education al groups, each of the Woman's Clubs of the County and all civic clubs, will include Mrs. Russell Hatchett, first vice-president; Mrs. Walker Howren, second vice president; C. R. Bryant, third vice-president; The Rev. Leon Smith, fourth vice-president; the Rev. C. R. Carnan, Jr., fifth vice-president; Mrs. W. F. Hudgins, recording secretary; Mrs. Frank W. Cox, corresponding Secretary; E. H. Church, treasurer, and F. E. Kellam, counselor.

Members of the Board of Governors will include Miss Louise Luxford, Mrs. E. L. Cooper, Mrs. Will Fentress, Mrs. Aubrey N. Holmes, Mrs. Waller Taylor, Kermit Land, J. G. Kellam and H. E. Halstead.

Norfolk Meeting

The Order of Cape Henry 1607 held a meeting in the council chambers at Norfolk on Saturday, March 22nd, when plans for the annual pilgrimage were formulated. Mrs. Naylor, president of the Order, announced that Governor and Mrs. William M. Tuck and former Governor Colgate Darden and Mrs. Darden would attend the pilgrimage and be guests of honor at a reception at the Cavalier Hotel on April 26th. Mrs. Naylor also said that Mr. Darden had consented to serve as honorary vice president of the Order.

Nominating Committee

Mrs. W. E. Callendar, of Norfolk, was appointed chairman of the nominating committee for the presentation of a slate for election of president, 1st, 2nd and 3rd vice presidents, recording secretary, corresponding secretary and treasurer. These officers will be elected at the annual meeting April 26th and will each serve a three year term.

Birthday Meeting

April 26th wil be the 21st birthday of the Order and will be celebratedwith a birthday cake with candles, Mrs. Naylor said. At this time a new flag will be presented to replace the present one which has become faded and weather worn. When the flag of the Order of Cape Henry 1607 is not flying over the Landing Dune it rests in Galilee Episcopal Church where it was placed by Bishop Brown when first presented to the Order.

At present there are many chapters throughout the Tidewater area and the enrollment is well over 1,000 members.

Public Invited

The ceremony at the Landing Dune will take place at 3:00 P. M., with memorial, religious and patriotic services commemorating the first landing at Cape Henry.

The public is invited to the ceremony. C. E. Hummel, superintendent of the Colonial National Historical Park, said he would have pine needles spread over the dunes for the convenience of the public. Capt. Glen G. Mears, public relations officer, Fort Story, representing Col. K. McCatty, commanding officer, said that in case of rain the ceremonies could be held in the Fort Story theatre.

Those present at the planning meeting Saturday, besides those previously mentioned, included: Mrs. Basil Manly, corresponding secretary; Mrs. John I. Bryant, recording secretary; Mrs. Samuel Frieden, Mrs. T. Gray Coburn, Mrs. H. I. Britton, Mrs. E. H. Arment, W. S. Harney, Henry Cowles Whitehead, Rev. C. W. Carnan, John D. Corbell; historian, Miss Mary D. Pretlow; Henry Edye, R. E. Mongold, Miss Mary Cornelia Stahr and James W. Rader, superintendent of the Fort McHenry National Monument of Maryland.

Tides and Sun

TIDE CALENDAR FOR VIRGINIA BEACH AND CAPE HENRY
(Reported by U. S. Weather Bureau, Cape Henry)

TIDE CALENDAR

Date	High	Low
March 26 a. m.	12:06	6:29
March 26 p. m.	12:31	6:40
March 29 a. m.	1:05	7:41
March 29 p. m.	1:31	7:45
March 30 a. m.	2:09	8:45
March 30 p. m.	2:35	8:52
March 31 a. m.	3:14	9:46
March 31 p. m.	3:40	10:00
April 1 a. m.	4:18	10:46
April 1 p. m.	4:42	11:07
April 2 a. m.	5:19	11:44
April 2 p. m.	5:44	
April 3 a. m.	6:15	12:07
April 3 p. m.	6:36	12:36

Days of Week	Sun Rises	Sun Sets
Friday	5:56	6:23
Saturday	5:55	6:24
Sunday	5:53	6:25
Monday	5:52	6:25
Tuesday	5:50	6:26
Wednesday	5:49	6:27
Thursday	5:47	6:28

To obtain tides of high or low water from above times: Lynnhaven Inlet, add 20 minutes; Ocean View, add 45 minutes; Old Point, add 45 minutes; Oregon Inlet, subtract 45 minutes.

Kight Announces Reorganization Of Cavalier Club

A reorganization plan for the Cavalier Country Club, to become effective April 1st, was announced last week by Rufus S. Kight, Jr., manager, who said that after that date the facilities at Birdneck Point, Princess Anne County, will be known as the Cavalier Yacht and Country Club.

He said the club will be operated as a non-profit, private country club for the use of members and their guests, and will be under the supervision of its officers and board of directors.

In a letter to prospective members, Kight announced that all applications will be referred to a membership committee, and stated that a full membership will be $75 yearly, including green fees, plus 20 per cent tax while social memberships will be $25 yearly plus 20 per cent tax. Both classes of membership include the two adult members of a family and dependent children under 18 years of age.

He also reported that an extensive improvement program has been completed, and an addition to the men's locker room and golf shop will soon be underway.

George Powells Take Over Old Wright Cottage

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Powell of Linkhorn Park have leased the "Wright" cottage on 17th and the Ocean Front and will be open for guests May 1st. It will be operated under the name of "The Powells," and Mr. Powell says that the building will be completely renovated and re-decorated. Meals will be served guests of the hotel in the re-decorated dining room.

Beach Baptists To Hear Rev. Ray Smith During Week of Evangelist Services

REV. RAY SMITH

The First Baptist Church, 17th Street at Arctic Avenue, announces Special Evangelistic Services beginning Sunday, March 30, and continuing for ten days.

Rev. Ray Smith, Pastor of the Main Street Baptist Church, Luray, Virginia, will be the Evangelist.

Rev. Smith will arrive Monday afternoon, and preach his first sermon, Monday at 7:30 p.m. Beginning on Tuesday there will be two services daily, 10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

The Pastor will preach at both services Sunday. Sunday Morning theme — "The Christian's Supreme Quest," Sunday Evening — "If He Should Fail." Charles L. Millard will sing "The Lord Is My Light" by Allitsen.

Subscriptions In Princess Anne County Red Cross Drive Far Behind Quota

The 1947 Red Cross Fund campaign of the Princess Anne Chapter has reached 35 per cent of the goal for the year, according to Clyde P. Nicholson, Fund Campaign chairman. The total amount in hand to date is $3,500.

Nicholson said that, at the close of the third week, division chairmen are busily engaged in completing the last phases of the drive. Few of the county districts have made final reports yet, he said.

"While it was originally intended to have all reports in by March 15, inclement weather has delayed solicitation," Nicholson said.

Sidney Kellam, chairman of the Special Gifts Division, has secured 80 per cent of the goal for this division; Joe Spruill, chairman of the business district solicitation maintains that this district will average 100 per cent; and Miles Horton, chairman of the residential district of Virginia Beach and the North Beach section expects to bring in a favorable report in the next few days, the Fund Drive chairman said.

"The Colored Division progress reports indicate that there has been complete solicitation through out the county," he continued, "with Miss Betty Williams, chairman, doing a splendid job of organizing and directing her workers."

The campaign committee realizes that, although every effort is being made to solicit every home and business in Princess Anne County, there may be some who have been overlooked. Their contributions gratefully will be received.

Traffic Lights Installed At Two Intersections

Traffic signal lights have been installed on Atlantic Avenue at the intersections of Seventeenth and Atlantic Ave and Thirty first and Atlantic.

The lights were installed at the suggestion of State highway officials, surveying Virginia Beach last year, at the suggestion of the Town Council and of the Street Department, in an effort to reduce traffic congestion and to regulate its flow.

A light at Seventeenth St. and Baltic Avenue, where School traffic is heavy, will be operated by hand, according to Police Chief Hobeck. An officer on duty will traffic there to accommodate the school children crossing the street during school hours.

"One advantage of the new lights," he remarked, "will be that you will be able to cross Atlantic Avenue from the Ocean side without blistering bare feet while waiting for traffic to let you through."

Permit Granted by County Board for Pier Erection

The permit for the erection of a fishing pier at the south end of Virginia Beach was granted to Roy Smith, attorney, representing Gladys S. Earl, by the Princess Anne County Board of Supervisors in regular session on Monday, March 24th.

The proposed plans will now be referred to the Federal Government for permission to proceed with the erection of the pier on the unimproved, privately owned property at the intersection of 1st Street and Atlantic Avenue. The pier will rest in front of Lots 8 and 9, Block "G" on the plat of the Virginia Beach Holding Corporation in the Lynnhaven Magisterial District of Princess Anne County.

The specifications of the pier as presented by Mr. Smith are the ones originally presented to the Board of Supervisors but were rejected because of opposition to the location of the approach as originally planned.

Reeves Johnson Finishes F. B. I. Course In D. C.

Reeves Johnson, Investigating Officer of the Virginia Beach Police force, who has been in Washington for the past twelve weeks attending the special school conducted by the Federal Bureau of Investigation, will receive his diploma at the graduating exercises of the F. B. I. National Academy today, Friday, March 28th. The exercises will take place in the Departmental Auditorium on Constitution Avenue.

The class of which Mr. Johnson is a member, is made up of men from the entire United States and this class is graduating with exceptionally high grades for the entire course.

Membership was attained by an invitation to the Virginia Beach Police Department to send a representative for the course. Mr. Johnson was selected for his outstanding work in the community as Investigating Officer. He will return to the Beach after the graduation to resume his duties with the local force.

Editor's Note: The "News" takes this opportunity to congratulate Mr. Johnson on his graduation and excellent record.

PLANT SALE

The Princess Anne Garden Club will have its annual plant and flower sale on Saturday, April 5th, from 9 to 12, at Roland Court, on 17th Street. The public is cordially invited to the sale.

Humane Association Campaign Goes Over The Top With $5050

The Princess Anne County Humane Association has reached its $5,000 goal with an oversubscription of about $50 according to the figures released by Herbert Holt, Secrgtary of the organization.

Realizing the need for such an organization, from the humane angle as well as a service to the Town of Virginia Beach, a group of interested citizens met in the show room of the Herb Holt Motor Company on January 1 and formed the association which is headed by Mrs. R. L. Page, Mrs. W. S. Wilder, George Mullen, and Herb Holt.

Commitees were formed, a campaign for funds planned and a goal of $5,000 set. Intensive weeks of solicitation and advertising followed and as of March 15, 1947 the $5,000 was in hand.

The Association was instrumental in bringing Dr. Edward A. Schoen, Veternary surgeon, to Princess Anne County and establishing a Pet Hospital. This hospital is located in Oceana and will be completed in several weeks.

It is the plan of the Humane Association to use the funds contributed to pay Dr. Schoen on a per diem basis for dogs taken on the Beach which need medical attention or board. In this manner there will be no necessity for the Town or the Association to build or maintain a hospital or kennel to house stray and sick animals.

Humane Officer

The services of a humane officer will be necessary, Mr. Holt said. In as much as the services of the Association will be of benefit to the Town and this County at large, Mr. Holt further said that there is a tentative plan to ask financial aid from both the County and the Town to pay a small salary for the appointment of a humane officer. The plan is to ask for $50 per month from each board to support the new officer.

Final List

The list of Contributors given below is the final list submitted to the NEWS for publication:

J. C. Council & Co., Norfolk; Mr. and Mrs. Ivor Miller, Mr. H. F. Wall, Norfolk; Mrs. Paul S. Huber, Miss Rebecca Huber, Mrs. Louis Windholz, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Howren, Larry and Lee Daughtry, Ben O. Calonnes, W. S. Sanders, Miss Ruth Gornto, C. H. Hitchings, Ned Langhorn, Fred A. Haycox, W. C. Griffin, Reid C. Black, Curtis M. Hall, W. H. Beveridge, Theodore F. May, Sam Smith, R. L. Beale, Jr., Dave Mallon, R. A. Midgette, Capt. M. Boland, Gerould M. Rumble, John Willis, Jr., Elizabeth D. Barker, Paul V. Wyatt, A. M. Hagwood, Charles Dean, Mrs. M. F. McNeal, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Wycoff, Dr. Bagley Walker, Mrs. Ralph Mooney, Bailey & Louis Dickens, Mrs. Webster Kitchen, C. D. Vail, W. . Kyle, Mrs. I. E. Edwards, Mrs. F. B. York, Mrs. Mason Johnson, Mrs. Groner Baker, Miss Clarke Wallace, Kimball Payne, Mrs. B. Duncan, Mrs. R. F. Hess, Mrs. Elsie Reidell, Mrs. M. H. Walker, Mrs. W. S. Wilder, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Leigh, and Leslie Lunsford.

Increased Budget Accepted By Board Of Supervisors

Ane stimated budget of $755,716 for 1947-48 was tentatively approved Monday by the board of supervisors of Princess Anne County, which also took steps to acquire for county-wide educational and health purposes a two-story barracks at the Navy's abandoned auxiliary airfield at Pungo, and overrode a recommendation of the zoning board to place building restrictions on portions of Laskin Road and Route 58 on the approaches of thoses two main arteries to Virginia Beach.

M. L. Goodman, auditor, in sketching the highlights of the proposed budget — approximately $120,000 higher than current figures—noted that public instruction and welfare costs will be up sharply, accounting for most of the increase.

He said that the school budget, as set up for the coming fiscal year, will total approximately $416,000, as compared to $317,000 for the current period, while welfare costs will jump to $73,900 from the present $58,000 allocation.

Higher Teachers Pay

In explanation, however, he said that the proposed school budget includes a $17,000 item, representing the increase in teachers' salaries accruing since the new schedule went into effect, and pointed out that the welfare budget included Federal and State assistance for the coming fiscal year.

The board, holding its monthly meeting, was advised that a general increase in the school levy, ranging from $2.38 to the statutory maximum of $2.50 per hundred dollars valuation of county real estate, wil be necessary to balance the budget. Estimated revenues for the new fiscal year, on the basis of increased taxation yet to be adopted, was placed at $772,774, as compared to current revenues expected to reach $623,000 by June 30th.

Building at Pungo

L. A. Williams, of the county board of agriculture, and County Agent H. W. Ozlin, reported on their efforts to acquire from the War Assets Administration, a two story barracks building at the Pungo Air Field, following which the supervisors instructed Paul W. Ackiss, Jr., to make application to obtain the structure, along with three acres of land adjoining, from the WAA.

Both Williams and Ozlin explained that the building, under WAA policy, can be deeded over to the county for educational and health purposes. They said the structure is ideally situated for meetings of many persons from any and all parts of the county, a facility which is now lacking, especially in the south portion of Princess Anne.

Vigorous Objections

A hearing on the proposed zoning of Route 58 from below London Bridge (excluding Oceana) to the town limits of Virginia Beach, brought vigorous objections from a delegation of property owners.

W. E. Kyle, counsel for the delegation, argued that the zoning proposal came too long after the property had been sold to various prospective home owners and others who planned to erect buildings for business purposes.

In taking negative action on zoning ordinance, which also embraced restrictions for the Laskin Road from the boulevard to the town limits of Virginia Beach, the board indicated it would be receptive to petitions for or against the zoning of the Laskin Road.

April 1st Deadline For Fire Ordinance Compliance Here

April 1 is the deadline for compliance with the fire ordinance as published in the NEWS last September.

E. B. Bayne, assistant chief of the Virginia Beach Fire Department, who is inspector in charge, is issuing a final warning to property owners that failure to comply with the regulations will constitute a misdemeanor and offenders will be subject to a fine of not more than $100 nor less than $25 and that each day's violation will constitute an additional offense. Bayne also states that buildings not occupied on April 1 must comply with all regulations before they will be allowed to reopen.

Systematic Inspections Made

Acting under the authority of the Virginia Beach Town Council Bayne has been conducting a systematic inspection of all buildings within the town to eliminate fire hazards. When such hazards as defective flues or chimneys, stoves or furnaces, impaired wiring circuits, accumulated rubbish in attics or basements, or other minor hazards are found, the property owner is given a detailed report and a date is set for compliance. Fire extinguishers are checked periodically, as are exit lights and signs.

"We're doing everything possible to prevent disastrous fires at Virginia Beach," Bayne said. "We have a pretty good record so far, and we want to keep it that way."

The assistant Fire Chief has evolved a system of filing whereby the radio operator at the police station has, at his fingertips, a complete description of every building in the town, with the exact location of switches and other pertinent information. In emergencies, firemen may be spared the necessity of searching thru burning buildings for the location of these outlets, for trap doors, etc., receiving this information on the way or on arrival, by radio. It is estimated that this system may save considerable time and possible loss of life.

Improvements Noted

Since the beginning of the fire inspections there has been only one call from an inspected establishment and that fire was attributed to a faulty stove which had been noted by the inspector.

In addition to this report Mr. Bayne has noted many instances of trash disposal, new fire escapes and other improvements in the town.

COUNTY REAL ESTATE REVIEW

By E. P Crockett, Jr.

If we could only get a little cooperation from the weather, property sales would be brisk. Spring has officially started, but has not so far taken over the office with a firm hand. A few sunny days, with birds singing and flowers blooming, will do wonders.

County Building Permits

Leon W. Perry, dwelling, Lot 9-11, Block 7, Section "D" Cape Henry; $6,500.

Princess Anne Homes, Inc., two dwellings, Oceana; $5,600 each.

Bassett & Stone, dwelling, Lot 1, Block 13, Section "D"; $7,000.

E. P. Crockett, Jr., dwelling, Ubermuer Annex 1, Site "E"; $10,000.

Property Transfers

Wm. H. Leper and Wife to J. E. Jard, Solomon Marshall and Chas. A. Cartwright, trustees of Virginia Beach Lodge No. 393, A. F. & A. M., Lots 1, 2, 5 and 7, Block 44, the southern 70 feet of these lots starting at the northwest corner of Arctic and 20th Street; fee $2.00.

R. Lee Page and Wife to Earline H. Smyth and Georgene S. Smith, Lots 16 and 17, Block 162, Lakewood; fee $2.

Courtney D. Miller to Margaret Britt Stanley, Lot 10, Block 33 Section "E"; tax $2.64.

Nelson Smith and Wife to E. K. Dunning, Lots 18 and 20, Block 93; tax $1.44.

Alma D. Bratton and Husband to Lelia White Freeman, Lots 1 and 2, Block 12, Section "D"; fee $2.64.

Colie Winslow Alexander to Mamie George Sutton, one-third interest in Alexander Hotel; tax $12.00.

Garland M. Alexander, Jr., to Mamie George Sutton, one-third interest in Alexander Hotel; tax $12.00.

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"THE VOICE of a majority, swaying the course of government does not insure good government except it be the voice of a well informed and well intentioned people."

THE COUNTRY PRESS

Some of the most important things in life are taken for granted and accorded scant consideration until they cease to function. For instance, the occupants of a luxurious Pullman sleeper think little about the wheels on which it rolls. The most vital things are generally the least obvious. The country press goes in this category. But there would be no United States without the country press, any more than there would be a Pullman car without a wheel.

No nation in the world is so universally served with newspapers as is the United States. But the average citizen doesn't know this—he takes the newspaper for granted even in the smallest town.

And yet without the newspaper, community affairs could not be conducted as they are. Try to think of your town without newspapers, even the smallest weekly. Where would you get the legal news and the intimate information on births, marriages, deaths, and the affairs of the community that at some time or other are so important to every family? Where would you read the proceedings of the county courts, the legal notices, the personal columns, the news about the local churches, lodges, and the advertising of the local merchants? The big city dailies carry the world news, but they cannot carry the day-to-day happenings of the smaller towns and cities.

The local editor accepts a real responsibility in publishing even the smallest paper, for when the reader sees something in print, he thinks it is the truth.

How many people appreciate these facts that underlie the ownership and publication of the 12,000 country newspapers in the United States? Those papers are the greatest safeguard of our nation's independence. They are individually owned, and the vast majority of their editors are well grounded in the ideals of Constitutional government, and are opposed to trends toward socialism which disregard the importance of the individual. The country press reaches a majority of readers in the United States. It deserves more recognition than it receives. And in that respect it is like the wheel under the Pullman car, but with this difference: it is human and it can appreciate a word or act of encouragement while upholding the rights of others.

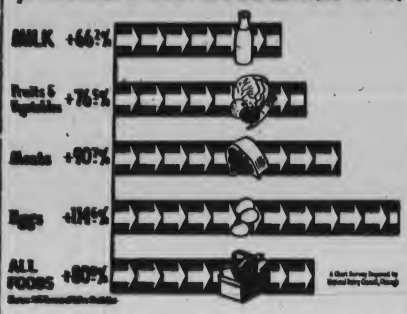
WELCOME TO HERBERT

by J. E. Jones

One of the most remarkable "comebacks" ever made stands to the credit of Herbert Hoover upon his return from Germany. The basic policy contained in his report to President Truman is found in recommendations to help Germany to be fed better and to be given ships with which to fish, and hard food for their people from America. Apparently the whole political set up in Washington fully supports the recommendations of Mr. Hoover. Why? Because they believe in his ability, his integrity, his purposes and most of all in The Man.

YOUR MONEY GOES FAST
in Today's Food Market

% INCREASES of Retail Prices over Base Period 1935-1939



These latest figures show, according to the National Dairy Council, that the housewife has an 80 per cent harder time in sticking to her house food budget than she did before the war. Money goes that feeds cost 80 per cent more. But, the Dairy Council adds, "It is gratifying to note that milk—which does more for good nutrition than any other single food—has risen 13.8 per cent LESS than the average for all foods during this period of high prices."

HOLY WEEK

The week before Easter has long been observed as the anniversary of the last week of Jesus' life. The shadows were gathering about the Saviour of mankind on those fateful days. His sublime words at the Last Supper will forever be treasured as his final message to his followers.

If the world could only have listened to his message delivered on those solemn days, if it could only have followed his lead by manifesting true religion, justice, and generosity, centuries of suffering and conflict could have been avoided. The sacrifice of Jesus' life was a tremendous factor in winning support for his ideas. The sympathy and adoration excited by his martyrdom drew the attention of the world, and was a great factor in converting many nations to the Christian faith.

—Peninsula Enterprise.

UN-UNITED "UNITED NATIONS"

by J. E. Jones

The United States Supreme Court has upheld the decision of the Court of Appeals which sustained the Civil Service Commission in discharging Communists from employment by the Federal Government. Thus our Government brands Russia as an unfriendly nation.

When President Truman announced a new foreign policy in his address to Congress the legislative branch of the government promptly agreed. It was a declaration "that our Government had abandoned the policy of attempting to conciliate Russia, "and it was plain notice that from now on our nation would "actively resist the spread of Communism."

It was also definite notice to Russia that General Marshall will not be "let down," pushed around, or humiliated by the Russians.

Molotov and his gangsters have heaped slander and abuse upon the United States that is just as threatening as that of prewar times. The United States Government has served notice that it will meet future challenges of Russia. We have made every effort to reestablish peace in the World. But Russian gangsters continue to pour the way Hitler and Mussolini howled in their time. Do not minimize the situation—it is alarming.

HOPE SPRINGS ETERNAL

by J. E. Jones

There is almost unanimous support in Washington backing Secretary of State George Marshall in his new adventure with Russia.

World War II is over but Stalin Molotov and the rest of the Communists have not put their shoulders to the wheel to help bring about world peace and restore independent nations to their rights, and furnish them a way to recover their places in world affairs.

So far there has been very little progress in that direction despite the patience, ability and pleas of our great trio: Byrnes, Vandenberg and Connally.

Just between us, and the gate post, the National Government at Washington has put up with about all the abuse from Russia that we have been able to stand for.

And if the United Nations isn't successful, and slides down the tragic road that smashed the past League of Nations, it will be no fault this time of the United States.

IT SEEMS SUCH A SIMPLE THING

by Bert Barnes

"Courtesy seems such a simple thing! Yet there are those who must think it isn't worth while, for they don't practice it. They neglect the little acts that make he world a better place to live in. Strangely enough they don't seem to realize that they are denying to themselves certain, definite benefits to be gained from the practice of courtesy.

"Courtesy is a mark of good breeding. It commands respect. It is the polish that welomes the customer, cheers the fellow-worker and makes the day easier for everyone. Courtesy is a recognition of the rights of others. It is what we all want for ourselves.

"To be courteous, therefore, is to practice the Golden Rule. To be discourteous is to be brutal—self-centered—intolerant. There is no surer way of annoying people. Discourtesy breeds scowls and grouches, promotes misunderstandings, sows discord. It is one of the ingredients of failure. On the other hand, the desire to be courteous cultivates a cheerful, beaming personality and radiates good will.

"Increasing on's stock of courtesy towards others increases one's own stock of happiness."

Legals

A PROPOSAL TO REQUIRE THE TAGGING OF BEAR, DEER OR ELK:

A meeting of this Commission was held at Richmond, Virginia, March 14, 1947, at which meeting the proposal hereinafter stated was authorized. A further meeting will be held at Richmond, Virginia, April 11, 1947, at which time the said proposal will be acted upon:

That any person killing a bear, deer or elk in any county shall immediately have attached thereto an official big game tag.

This tag shall show the name and address of the hunter, number of hunting license and any other information that the Commission may prescribe. The Commission shall furnish such official big game tags which shall be attached and checked at authorized checking stations or by representatives of the Commission. No person shall destroy the identity of any big game unless and until tagged and checked as herein provided.

Any big game not tagged as herein provided found in the possession of any person shall be forfeited to the Commonwealth to be disposed of as provided by law.

That all regulations or parts of regulations in conflict with the foregoing be rescinded.

By order of the Commission of Game and Inland Fisheries.

BEVERLEY W. STRAS, JR.,
Chairman.
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A PROPOSAL TO MAKE IT LAWFUL TO HUNT DEER IN THE SNOW:

A meeting of this Commission was held at Richmond, Virginia, March 14, 1947, at which meeting the proposal hereinafter stated was authorized. A further meeting will be held at Richmond, Virginia, April 11, 1947, at which time the said proposal will be acted upon:

That it shall be lawful to hunt deer, during the open season therefor, in the snow.

That all regulations or parts of regulations in conflict with the foregoing be rescinded.

By order of the Commission of Game and Inland Fisheries.

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Churches

Galilee Services

PALM SUNDAY SERVICES

The Palm Sunday Festival Services at eleven o'clock at Galilee Church will be honored by the presence of the Right Reverend William A. Brown, D. D., LL. D., Bishop of the Diocese of Southern Virginia, who will be the guest preacher and will administer the Rite of Laying on of Hands in Confirmation to Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Banks, Bonnie Mae Barnes, Carroll Vivian Brittain, Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Church, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene G. Patton, Charles Forbes, III, Anne and Charles Grandy, Captain C. T. Hull, Mr. Fielding F. Jeter, Miss Caroline Amelia Kain, Mr. and Mrs. DeKoven King, Cassius M. King, Louis L. Kitchin, Jr., Mr. J. L. Lyle, Mrs. DeWitt Maxey, Daniel H. Proulx, Mrs. R. D. Purdy, Robert G. Shelly, Douglas Smith, Mrs. L. T. Terrell, Katherine McE. Terrell, Grace Marie Vakos, Clarke Southall Wallace, and Mr. and Mrs. Francis M. Williams, Jr.

The Galilee Choir, under the direction of Mrs. J. Frank Bell, assisted by Mrs. George L. Aldridge, organist, will present several beautiful Palm Sunday anthems: "The Palms," by J. Faure, and "King Ever Glorious," from Stainer's "Crucifixion." Mr. Travis Barnes will be the soloist.

All members of Galilee Church and friends are invited to be present at this service to hear Bishop Brown and to welcome the Confirmation candidates into full membership in our Church and congregation.

Maundy Thursday Holy Communion

The congregation of the Galilee Episcopal Church will celebrate the institution of the Sacrament of Holy Communion on Maundy Thursday evening, April 3rd, at eight o'clock. This service is in commemoration of the Last Supper, which was held in the Upper Room on Mount Olivet in Palestine, by Our Saviour, when he sat facing Jerusalem and the Cross of Calvary. This evening is a holy evening, and should be honored by all.

The guest preacher for this service will be Chaplain Dietrich B. Cordes, United States Navy, one-time Chaplain at the Oceana Air Base.

The Galilee Choir will sing "Tarry With Me, O My Saviour," by Baldwin, for the Offertory.

Good Friday Services

During the hours from twelve, noon, to three P. M. on Good Friday a service of meditations on the Seven Last Words from the Cross will be held at Galilee Episcopal Church. These meditations will be given by the Rector. The Senior Choir of the Church, assisted by the Junior Choir from the Sunday School, will be present to assist in the service by singing hymns appropriate to this memorial day.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The pre-Easter services at the First Presbyterian Church, as announced by the Rev. Robert Davis, pastor, will start with special music at the morning service on Palm Sunday, March 30th. Under the direction of Mrs. Russell Gimbert, choir director, the choir will render "The Palms," by Faure. The Offertory solo, "Open the Gates of the Temple," by Knapp, will be sung by Mrs. Griffin B. Deal.

On Holy Thursday, April 3rd, the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed at the evening service at 8:00 P. M. The musical offering will be the anthem, "Go To Dark Gethsemene," by Noble.

At 8:00 P. M. on Good Friday, April 4th, the choir will render the Easter cantata, "The Story of the Cross," by Dudley Buck.

Choir Members

The soloists in the choir for the cantata will be Mrs. H. F. Shirey, Mrs. Russell Gimbert, Mr. Ben McClesky, Mr. Eldon Jones, Mr. Herbert Holt, Mr. Clemment Gimbert, Joe White, Marvin Hardy, and Jimmie Midgett.

Besides the above the choir consists of Peggy Gregg, Patricia Moody, Evelyn Gimbert, Ann Davis, Gladys Davis, Mrs. Griffin Deal, Edna Hardy, Evelyn Whitehurst, Marian Todd, Mary Lou Hiffaker, and Messers. Wm. Patton, Albert Baron and Russell Gimbert.

Methodist Church

The ministers of the Methodist churches of Virginia Beach and the County met at the Courthouse on Thursday to plan for a County Christian Leadership Training School to be conducted in the Courthouse High School September 22nd-26th. The courses and instructors for the school are tentatively as follows:

"The Home and Church Working Together for Children," Mrs. W. R. Reed, of Luray, Virginia.

"The Youth Fellowship at Work," Miss Alma Lowance, of Richmond, Virginia.

"The Life of Jesus," Dr. T. F. Carroll, of Norfolk, Virginia.

Officers and teachers of the church schools and all members of the adult and youth divisions above 15 years of age may enroll in the school.

A board of managers was organized to plan for the school with the following officers: Rev. N. F. Hunt, chairman; Rev. I. L. Llewellyn, secretary; Rev. E. Leon Smith, treasurer; Rev. J. W. Mast, enrollment secretary; Rev. R. E. Forrest, chairman entertainment and arrangements committee; Rev. J. H. Billingsley, chairman worship and program committee, and Rev. I. L. Llewellyn, chairman publicity committee.

CHRISTENING

Mr. and Mrs. Michael H. Constantine are having their son, Michael H. Constantine, Jr., christened at the Greek Orthodox Church, Norfolk, on Sunday, April, 6, 1947. The god-father and god-mother will be Mr. and Mrs. George Argyris.

The reception will follow immediately after the ceremony at 20[illegible] 20th Street, Virginia Beach.

Peggy Boykin Stars In W. & L. Play

PEGGY BOYKIN— Miss Peggy Rumble Boykin has been selected to play the lead in J. B. Fagan's "And So To Bed," a mock-Restoration comedy, to be presented March 19-23 at the Troubadour Theatre in Lexington.

Mrs. Boykin is the former Miss Peggy Rumble, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerould Rumble, of Virginia Beach, and the wife of Richard Boykin, also of Virginia Beach. She is a former member of the Little Theatre groups of Norfolk and Virginia Beach, and, at present, is said to be a mainstay of the Troubadours, the Washington and Lee dramatic organization. Richard Boykin returned to Washington and Lee University after receiving his discharge from the armed forces.

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HARRY: "Do you use them, Jim?"

JIM: "I sure do. Take a look at these fat chickens! Fast growing. I mix distillers' grains with my poultry and cattle rations, and I've figured it out clearly, too. Distillers' grains not only help to fatten stock faster, but I'm saving about 20 percent of the grain I'd otherwise use without distillers' grains."

HARRY: "I can see now how folks down south are about distillers' mashing meal!"

'House Money' for Making Change

Customarily, when a raid is underway on a gambling establishment all currency (as well as change) in sight is subject to confiscation (—) if the officers are fast enough to lay their hands on the stakes.

But there may be an exception, as claimed by F. D. Ferguson, the manager of the Dunes Club, who is seeking to recover $1,500 out of $2,100 "snagged" by ABC investigators in a raid on the club last summer.

Trial Justice J.Davis Reed, Jr. ruled in his court several months ago the money was "fair game" and should go to the State, but an appeal will be heard in the Princess Anne Court.

Ferguson in the lower court, contended that the $1,500, altho "house money" for making change, was not subject to confiscation and was carelessly left on the dice table by the man in the slot when it should have been in his pocket.

Commonwealth's Attorney Paul W. Ackiss, Jr., who again will represent the State's interest, argued that the money was exposed "as a lure" or perhaps to secure the customers that the house was capable of meeting high bets.

Local 4-H Club Plans Washington Trip

The Princess Anne County 4-H Honor Club held a meeting last week for the purpose of making final and definite plans in regards to their plane trip to Washington, D. C., in April.

The following plans were made:

There will be approximately 45 4-H members, leaders and sponsors to take the trip;

The members will boardl the plane at the Norfolk City Airport at 8:00 A. M., on Thursday, April 17th, will spend about 7 hours in Washington on a sightseeing trip and leave there for home at 5:00 P. M.;

It was decided to invite Governer Tuck to accompany the group on the trip.

Senator Harry F. Byrd, Senator A. Willis Robertson and Representative Porter Hardy, Jr., have promised full cooperation to the group and have signified their intentions of meeting the plane on its arrival at the Washington Airport.

Mr. E. H. Shinn, who works out of the Washington offie with 4-H clubs in the South, has also promised cooperation to the group on the Washington end and he, too, will meet the plane with photographers. Mr. Shinn is now also working out an itinerary for the sightseeing trip which will include many of the historical place in the National Capitol.

Mr. W. M. Barnes, Jr., representative of the Capital Airlanes, is giving full cooperation on this end, and has promised a beautiful 4-motored plane to the Honor Club for the trip.

Floyd Dormire, Jr., and Buddy Rumble have returned to their homes from St. Christopher's in Richmond, to spend spring vacation.

Still Destroyed In P. A. County

An illicit distillery, with a 400 gallon capacity, was destroyed Thursday near London Bridge in Princess Anne County by State and Federal officers.

One of the largest located in this section in several years, the distillery had been kept under observation for about two weeks. During this time, the operators failed to appear, so a decision to dynamite the plant was reached.

Thomas F. Casey, agent in charge of the Alcohol Tax Unit, and John Lemon and Eddie Gill also of the ATU, took part in the operation, as did P. W. Downing and R. W. Henderson, State ABC officers.

Your RED CROSS (Must Carry On!)

Rail oddities

Beach Fire Dep't Receives County Calls

The Princess Anne County Board of Supervisors in meeting Monday, granted a permit for the erection of a special telephone hook-up from the Virginia Beach Fire Department to the fire stations in Oceana and London Bridge whereby the Town department will receive all fire calls in those localities. With the cooperation of the C. & P. Telephone Company, a special wire has been connected with the fire siren in Oceana and London Bridge, and, upon receipt of a fire call at the Virginia Beach station, the siren is turned on by the officer in charge and continues to blow in the vicinity nearest the fire until a member of the Volunteer Fire Department answers the telephone and ascertains the location of the fire. All calls are made to Virginia Beach 585.

Previously the siren was controlled from the home of the fire chief and all fires were reported to him. This method necessitated someone in attendance at all hours to receive emergency calls. This new arrangement will enable any member of the department to answer calls and summons members of the Volunteer Department as needed.

In the Oceana district, Condon Perry is chief, and Houston Gimbert, assistant chief. Floyd Deary is chief of the London Bridge Volunteer Fire Department and Charlie Spence is assistant chief.

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PRUNE JUICE, quart 29c
PET or CARNATION
MILK 4 tall cans for 49c
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COOK'S COUNCIL

By Jean Merritt
Heinz Home Institute

Baby's Prune Pudding Makes Popular Desserts for Parents

Good news to sugar-short hostesses are the flavor-rich desserts below. All of these have an old-time sweetness to them yet none will tax your precious sugar bowl. The secret of their fine, full-bodied flavor is a baby food—one of the ready-to-serve junior foods now being put up in glass or tin for toddlers who have sufficient teeth and taste to relish such smooth and savory desserts.

Following a season of peak prune production, this pudding is now in good supply; so there is plenty for the nation's morpets, with something left over for the family table also. And a boon to de[illegible] prune pudding, too. [illegible] naturally sweet prunes [illegible] nutty farina, cooked to tenderness in egg-enriched milk, this pudding has the taste character, the creamy texture that makes it a good mixer in pies, pudding, sauces and salads.

Creamy Frozen Fruit Salad

Soften to room temperature—
2 3-oz. packages cream cheese.
Blend in—
1 6½-oz. can prune pudding
½ teaspoon lemon juice
¼ cup grape jelly
Few grains salt.

Beat with rotary beater. Pour into individual molds which have been rinsed in cold water. Store in freezing compartment for 3 hours or until [illegible] Serve on [illegible]

[illegible]
1 [illegible]
1 tablespoon [illegible]
Few grains salt
½ teaspoon cinnamon.
Gradually add—
1 6½-oz. can prune pudding
½ cup milk.
Boil for 2 minutes, stirring constantly.
Add—
1 teaspoon lemon juice
¼ cup chopped nuts.
Pour into sherbet dishes. Chill. Serves 2.

Apple-Prune Betty

Combine—
1 6½-oz. can prune pudding
¼ cup brown sugar
¼ teaspoon cinnamon
⅛ teaspoon nutmeg
Few grains salt
1 tablespoon lemon juice
2 tablespoons butter or margarine. Heat until bubbling, stirring frequently.
Combine in shallow greased baking dish—
2 cups sliced cooking apples
1 cup soft bread cubes.
Pour prune mixture over this. Bake, uncovered, in a moderate oven (350° F.) for 30 minutes. Serves 4.

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SOCIAL NEWS

Mrs. S. Hardy Cole, Local Reporter

PARTIES : ANNOUNCEMENTS : PERSONALS

Miss Mary Louise Huffaker has issued invitations to a cocktail party at her home on Avenue A, on Saturday, April 5th from five to seven, in honor of Miss Sallie Goode, debutante of the season.

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Mr. and Mrs. Haward Waff of Cary, N. C. who have been visiting Mrs. Wiliam H. Sterling, Jr. at the Princes Anne Hotel, entertained Saturday evening at a cock tail party and buffet supper at the Princess Anne Club. The guests numbered about fifty.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cannon, whose mariage took place Saturday in St. James Church, Richmond are spending sometime at the Gay Manor Hotel. Mrs. Cannon is the former Mrs. Julia Vaughan Williams, daughter of Mrs. Henry Vaughan of Richmond.

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Col. and Mrs. E. C. Waddill and Miss Ida Mae Esmond have returned to their home on Avenue B after spending the week end in Richmond and attending the Cannon Williams wedding.

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Commodore and Mrs. Oscar Smith and Miss Betty Smith have returned to their home on 107th St. after spending sometime in Florida.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ralph K. Dawson have returned to their home in Arlington, Va. after visiting Mr. Dawson's brother in law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor in Linkhorn Park.

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Mr. and Mrs. Williard Ashburn Jr. have returned to their home in Charlottesville after spending the week end with Mr. Ashburn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Williard Ashburn, on 52nd St.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Maher have returned to their home in Bay Colony after spending a few days in New York.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Kidder have moved from 101st Street to their new home on 54th Street.

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Mrs. W. R. Jordan is a patient at General Hospital in Norfolk.

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Lt. and Mrs. W. A. Patterson announce the birth of a daughter at De Paul Hospital in Norfolk.

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The Mary Lou White Circle of the Va. Beach Methodist Church wil meet on Wednesday, April 2 at 2:30 p.m. with Mrs. Ethel Dill at Ft. Story.

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The Mary Moore Circle will meet Wednesday April 2 at 2:30 p.m. with Mrs. R. D. Knight on 21st Street.

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Mrs. Mildred McClanan left on Thursday by plane to visit Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Anderson at their home on Long Island and her sister Miss Emily McClanan at Haddon Field, N. J.

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Mr. and Mrs. Warfield Leeke returned Monday to theor home on Avenue E. after visiting Mrs. Leeke's Aunt, Mrs. R. M. Crumley, in Atlanta, Ga.

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Mrs. Berkley Henderson returned Wednesday to New York after visiting Lt. Col and Mrs. John C. Hutcheson at their home on 54th street.

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Mrs. Menalcus Lankford of Norfolk, Mrs. Mary W. Furnival and Michael Furnival have returned to their homes after attending the Cannan - Williams wedding in Richmond.

Miss Nancy Lee Leonard has arrived from Southern Seminary, Buena Vista, Va. to spend the spring vacation with her mother, Mrs. Warfield Leeke, and Mr. Leeke at their home on Avenue E.

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Mrs. Williard Ashburn and Miss Virginia Ashburn will leave Tuesday to spend several days in New York City.

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Mrs. Burton Lee Doggett is visiting Mrs. L. T. Hunte at her home in Washington, D. C.

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Mrs. Albert Crosby, Jr., and young son left Sunday to join Lt. Crosby and make their home in Fayettville, N. C. after spending several months with Mrs. Crosby's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Crockett, on Avenue A.

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Mrs. Clyde Nicholson has left to visit her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Quarles Browne, at their home in Washington, D. C..

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Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Ward Cole have returned to their home in Chapel Hill, N. C. after spending a week with Mrs. Cole's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jett, on 51st Street,

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Mrs. and Mrs. J. Peter Holland Jr. have returned to their home on 53rd St. after spending the week end with their daughter-in-law, Mrs. J. Peter Holland, III, in Petersburg, Va.

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Neal and Clem Hastie, students at Exter School, New Hampshire and Andover, Mass. left Monday for their home in Washington, D C. after visiting their aunts, the Misses de Witt, on 12th St. They were accompanied by Philip Lane a student at Exter, who was also the guest of the Misses deWitt,

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Miss Esther Jett has returned to her home on 51st St. after spending some time in Manchester, Conn.

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Paratrooper Thomas Nicholson arrived Sunday from Fort Benning, Ga. to spend three weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Nicholson, at their home on 40th Street.

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Mrs. Thomas Bigger of Richmond is visiting Miss Florence Le Moine at her home on 36th St.

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Dr. and Mrs. Dabney Jarman have arrived from Washington to spend sometime at the Cavalier Hotel.

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Miss Elizabeth de Witt has returned to her home on 12th St. after visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Mr and Mrs. Cornelius deWitt, in Richmond.

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Mrs. James U. Goode has returned to her home on Pinewood Foad after spending the week end with her daughter, Miss Sallie U. Goode, at Stratford College, Danville, Va.

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Dr. Tyree Finch has returned to his home in Chase City, Va., after spending the week end with Mrs. Finch and daughter at the Le Moine Cottage.

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Bobby Maser, George Darden, David Pender, III and Jeroald Carpenter will return Monday to Woodberry Forest School after spending the spring vacation at their homes.

Junior Board Presents Play At Oceana

The Rev. I. L. Llewellyn, pastor of the Oceana Methodist Church, said that the newly-organized Junior Official Board of the church scored a triumph in the presentation of a "Womanless Wedding" in the Oceana High School auditorium Friday.

Approximately 35 persons took part in arranging and staging the play. Members of the cast included: Bride, C. M. Tomko; bridegroom, P. K. Oglesby; father of the bride, H. E. Gibbs; mother of the bride, Price Crieger; uncle of the bride, Conley Perry; aunt of the bride, Elmer Meeks; grandfather, Alfred Newbern; grandmother, Carl Newbern; guest, L. S. Hiteshew; neighbor, John Strange; jilted sweetheart, Ray Jackson; colored nurse, F. M. Haley; baby sister, Edward Wright; ringbearer, Jimmie Paxton; trainbearer, Vernon Spence; best man, M. E. Frizzell; soloist, S. B. Myers; bridesmaid, R. P. Wright; groomsmen, Chuck Kadis; flower girls, Maurice McKinney and W. V. Spence; twins, Keith Bailey and Maurice Simmons; pianist, Jack Senter; minister, Howard Ives; ushers, Ellis Mills and William White.

Committee chairmen were as follows: Makeup and costuming, Miss Pearl Duty; stage decorations, Mrs. F. M. Haley; advertising, Miss Mary Meeks; publicity, Alfred Newbern; ushers, Mrs. Alfred Newbern; direction, Miss Evelyn Bell.

Mrs. James Edward Cole has returned to her home on 53rd St. after spending several weeks in Norfolk.

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Mr. and Mrs. Maclin Simmons and Maclin Simmons, Jr. have returned to their home on 53rd St. after spending the week end in Lynchburg, Va.

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Miss Florie Robinson has returned to her home in Norfolk after spending the week end with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Robinson, on 52 nd St.

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Mrs. Preston D. Cruser has returned to her home after spending several weeks in Utah with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George J. Ross, Jr. Mr. Ross is attending Utah State College in Logan.

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Robert L. Barco arrived Friday from Virginia Polytechnic Institute to spend the spring vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence O. Barco, on Arctic Avenue. He was accompanied by Cadet George O. Carver, of San Antonio, Texas, an engineering student at V. P. I., who will also be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Barco.

Capt. and Mrs. William E. Hannan, of Dayton, Ohio, announce the birth of a son, Mark Carroll, II, on March 8th, 1947. Capt. Hannon is the son of Mrs. M. C. Hannon, of Pocahontas Drive.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Lane Bardeen, of Eagle Point, Oregon, announce the birth of a daughter, Mary Lucille, on March 10th, 1947. Mrs. Bardeen is the former Trenor Hannan, of Pocahontas Drive, nan, of Pocahontas Drive.

Princess Anne Club Represented At District Meet

Mrs. Russell Hatchett, president of the Woman's Club of Princess Anne, Mrs. Harry Holland, delegate, and Mrs. Wallace Clark were among the 200 officers and delegates representing the 2,500 members of the Junior and Senior Clubs of the Sixth District Virginia Federation of Woman's Clubs who attended the annual club institute held Thursday at the Central Methodist Church, Hampton.

Mrs. John W. Dickerson and Mrs. Arthur Cannon, Senior and Junior District Club presidents presided.

Hostesses for the day were the Woman's Club of Hampton and the Junior Club. Registration began at 9:45 o'clock with the meeting opening at 10:30 o'clock.

A "Personal Inspection Tour of a Club's Work Shop," was conducted by Mrs. Lester Parson chairman of the club institute. Scrapbook and poetry awards were announced at this meeting also.

Luncheon for the Seniors was held at the Central Methodist Church and for the Juniors at the Chamberlin Hotel.

Reservations for the Sixth District luncheon at the Virginia Convention in Roanoke were made at the institute meeting.

OCEANA MUSIC—

The Choral Class of the Oceana High School received a rating of "Very Good" in the Norfolk Musical Festival conducted in the Granby High School in Norfolk on Saturday, March 22nd. This is a No. 2 classification.

Participants in the festival were choral classes from all Grade B schools in Tidewater Virginia. These classes are a part of the student's regular curricular activity and credit is given in the scholastic field for work done.

The Oceana group is under the direction of Mrs. Mary Ellen Carter and there are 50 voices in the class.

One New York music critic and two musicians from Norfolk were judges in the festival.

Highway & Town Clean-Up Plans To Be Enforced

Roadsides along Virginia's highways will take on a "Sunday-Go-To-Meeting" appearance and the signposts along the roads will sparkle from a soap and water scrubbin' as the State Highway Department launches a "Spring Roadside Cleanup" on Tuesday, April 1st.

By April 25th highway engineers have been ordered to complete a thorough cleanup of all the main highways in the State and all the secondary roads over which the thousands of visitors will travel during Garden Week, April 28th to May 3rd.

From highway right - of - way will be removed, in the language of highway landscape officials, all" debris, papers, signs, trash, discarded parts of automobiles, dead trees, etc." The cleanup will also include a washing behind the ears for all traffic signs and replacement of those signs and symbols which are in poor condition.

Cleanliness of the Old Dominion's highway network has been somewhat neglected during the past months, highway officials admit, with all forces devoting full-time effort to deferred maintenance, held over from the war. Accordingly, all field forces have been asked to assign the current cleanup a "number one priority."

Cooperation of property owners along the highways will be sought as the Highway Department will make every effort to put Virginia's best foot forward for its out-of-state Garden Week guests.

Now that the war is over, landscape officials emphasized that this cleanup process will be a continuous policy in the future.

Local Cleanup

Tying in with the roadside cleanup program Virginia Beach will also inaugurate a cleanup week. Notices are being sent out to all residents of the community with instructions as follows:

During Cleanup Week: Clean up any paper, rags, bottles, cans, or other trash around your premises and put it all out on your regular collection day for removal by the Town trucks.

During every week be sure: 1. To put all refuse in clean COVERED metal garbage cans, and, 2. Put the cans out on your regular collection day ONLY and take them IN when emptied.

Virginia Beach is your home!!! Keep your home clean!!!

Home Canners Advised How to Avoid Deadly Botulinus Poisoning

"THERE is vital need to can as many vegetables as possible as well as fruit; but the only safe way to can any vegetables, except tomatoes, is by correct use of the pressure cooker," advises Katharine Fisher, Director of Good Housekeeping Institute. "This method is the only one which, provides the hotter-than-boiling heat that's necessary to kill botulinus germs which may be on any non-acid food you can—and that means all vegetables except tomatoes. When botulinus germs are not killed in the canning process, they thrive in sealed jars and create a powerful poison.

"This botulinus poisoning comes from bacteria that live in the soil and cling to vegetables. Although rare, this poison is particularly dangerous because it usually does not change the food's appearance, odor or tasts. Analyses of soil indicate that there is a chance that botulinus spores may be found almost anywhere. Fortunately, they are harmless until they get in air-tight jars of canned food."

Use Pressure Cooker

"Correct use of the pressure cooker also protects against other types of spoilage," Miss Fisher said. "A recent national survey showed that home canners who put up non-acid vegetables by the hot water bath method reported a hundred per cent greater rate of spoilage than those who used the pressure cooker method."

"Never taste to discover spoilage," Good Housekeeping advises. "All home canned products should be examined carefully when opened and, if there is any evidence of spoilage, the food should not be used."

Variety Show For Piano Fund At Oceana School

The Valley Show given by the Piano Committee of the Oceana Parent-Teacher Association on Friday, March 21st, at the Oceana High School was a very successful affair as reported by Mrs. Hitchings, chairman.

Highlighting the performance was a fashion show by "The Waites" and "Tailored Tags." Twenty four young children modeled clothes from "The Waites," and ten young ladies modeled the gowns from "Tailored Togs."

Music and Dance Features

Piano accordian and vocal solos were rendered by Manuela Chambers and Peggy Gregg. Dance numbers were performed by Joan and Joyce Smith, Sandra Milligan, Carol Lee Strange and Patricia Twiford from the Skelton School of Dancing and by Doana Kunkler and Shirley Dunn from the Dunn School of Dancing.

By popular vote of the student body of Oceana High School Irene Folkman was chosen bride and Lloyd Barcroft the groom.

Seashore Park To Have New Seawall

Richmond—Randolph Odell, director of State Parks, State Conservation Commission, said that work was scheduled to begin on March 17th on construction of a 350-foot concrete retaining wall and walk at Seashore State Park.

The new structure, to cost an estimated $36,000, will be completed in about two months and will replace an old timber wall that for years had held back the drifting dunes from the waters of the lower Chesapeake Bay, west of Cape Henry. Contractor on the project is George I. McLean, of Portsmouth.

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Sanitarium Property Dispute Continues; Title Unmarketable

Due to restrictions set forth in the original charter of the Infant Sanitarium there is still a question at issue as to whether the title is marketable. The property was sold 15 months ago to the Eighteenth Street Corporation for a reported $76,600, and again in February, 1946, to Daniel Cristofano, of Norfolk, for $90,000.

A bill of complaint filed in the County Circuit Court office by the Eighteenth Street Corporation sets forth that Cristofano had failed to make a cash settlement of $21,500 on October 1, 1946, to bind the purchase, and has made no arrangements to settle the $66,000 balance which was to be evidenced by a deed of trust payable three years later. The law firm of Kellam & Kellam is representing the complainant.

"No Marketable Title"

An inkling as to one phase of the court argument to follow is contained in the answer filed by Maurice B. Shapero, counsel for the respondent, contending that "there is no marketable title to the property," and raise the question, that the charter of the Infant Sanitarium, Inc., set up certain restrictions in the event the corporation holdings were offered for sale, one of which provided that such disposition should not be made for commercial purposes.

Cristofano, in a cross bill filed with the answer, is asking the Eighteenth Street Corporation to refund a cash payment of $2,500 he made at the time the agreement was negotiated.

Originally, a seven-story hotel was planned for the strategic corner, one of the most valuable at the resort, but after Cristofano obtained an option on the property it was announced that several stores would be erected there along with an amusement center in a second floor.

Rents Go Uncollected

Meanwhile, operators of a small restaurant and a parking lot, who have temporary leases on the corner, have not made any rental payments since last October with neither litigant coming forth to make collections.

Since the abandonment of its institutional program, which had been carried on since the building was erected in the early 1890's, the Infant Sanitarium has been taking care of individual cases involving underprivileged children. The organization was formed in 1887 by a small group of women from Episcopal churches in Norfolk to provide Summertime care of underprivileged children.

READING & WRITING

BY *Robin McKown*

Into the cellar of a bombed house in post-war Vienna, came Rev. Hoseah Washington Smith, a Negro Chaplain with the U. S. Army. He brought tracts for the purpose of "re-education"; he left with his pockets emptied of all personal possessions—and a feeling both of guilt and responsibility for what he found.

ROBERT NEUMANN

There were six children living in that basement, dirty, ragged, embittered, victims physically and mentally of Nazism. Ringleader among them is Yid, a boy of 13 whose concentration camp experiences have aged him to uncanny wisdom. At 14, Goy's interests run to stealing, setting fires, and occasional murder; Eve is a child prostitute, like her friend Ate, who had betrayed her parents to the Nazis. Tiny, the youngest, is dying of starvation.

It is their story which Robert Neumann tells in "Children of Vienna." This would be hard reading, even if one could reassure oneself that Mr. Neumann had made it all up out of his head. It is agonizing, knowing that the author's "fiction" is based on the actual fate of countless thousands.

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As a premium book to new members, the Book-of-the-Month Club is sending out a handsome four-volume boxed edition of the tragedies and comedies of Shakespeare, colorfully illustrated by Fritz Kredel and Warren Chappel.

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From Philip Frank's biography, "Einstein," comes a story of a Princeton mother, who was worried by the absences of her ten-year-old girl. The child explained, "I had trouble with my homework in arithmetic. People said that at No. 112 there lives a very big mathematician who is also a good man. I went and asked him if he would help me. He was very willing and explained everything very well." In distress, the mother went to Einstein to apologize for her daughter's boldness. She was told, "You don't have to worry. I have certainly learned more from the child than she from me."

"HOOVER MAN"

In 1933 the Bureau of Reclamation prepared a descriptive pamphlet of Hoover Dam for distribution at the Chicago Century of Progress. Dam-man Ickes or-dered that it be called "Boulder Dam," in spite of the fact that it had been named "Hoover Dam" by Congress. But now, Congress has re-declared that "Hoover Dam" is the legitimate name, and that wipes out another Ickes-ism.

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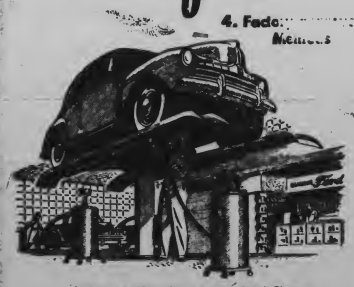

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Deaths

N. C. Booker Dies

Norman Courtney Booker, 80, president of Courtney Terrace, Inc., Virginia Beach, and one of the early developers of the resort, died Tuesday morning in his apartments in the Courtney Terrace Hotel after an illness of several months.

A native of Prince Edward Co., Mr. Booker came to Virginia Beach in 1914 to begin the restoration of the Courtney Terrace Hotel, which was reopened the following year after the original structure had been moved from the west side of Atlantic Avenue a block distance from its present location on Sixteenth Street and the ocean front.

Prior to taking up his residence at the Beach, Mr. Booker resided in Norfolk from 1906 to 1914, first employed as a purchasing agent for several furniture firms and later as representative for several nationally known shoe manufacturers. Before that he was associated with an uncle in the furniture business at Lynchburg.

Son of the late Rev. Richard Edward and Mrs. Louise Glover Gilliam Booker, he is survived by three sons, Frank C. and Brandon B. Booker, of Virginia Beach, and Royston T. Booker, of Norfolk; a half-sister, Mrs. J. C. Reveley, of Lynchburg; a half-brother, James P. Booker, of Upper Montclair, N. J.; five grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services were held at the H. D. Oliver Funeral Apartments at 11 A. M. on Thursday, conducted by the Rev. Sparks W. Melton, D. D., pastor of Freemason Street Baptist Church. Interment was in Forest Lawn Cemetery.

MRS. C. W. G. GUYNN

Mrs. Charlie Williams Grimstead Guynn, 85, widow of Lewis L. Guynn, and daughter of the late Charles and Martha G. Williams, died at her residence in Princess Anne County Friday at 6:30 A. M. She is survived by a son, F. L. Grimstead; a step daughter, Mrs. E. L. Dozier; a sister, Mrs. Annie Williams Kidd; a brother, Lloyd Williams, all of Norfolk; six grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren, and two great-great-grandchildren. Mrs. Guynn was a life-long resident of Princess Anne County and was a member of the Bethel Methodist Church.

Funeral services were conducted at the Holloman-Brown Funeral Home Sunday at 2:30 P. M. and burial was in Elmwood Cemetery.

MRS. IRENE GIBSON WOODY

Funeral services for Mrs. Irene Mamie Gibson Woody, wife of Clarence Mundy Woody, Virginia Beach, who died Wednesday, were conducted at the Covesville Baptist Church, Covesville, on Friday at 3:30 P. M. with interment in the family burial ground at Covesville.

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County Agent Advises Farmers

There is a possibility for farmers to lose as much as $78.00 by planting one bushel of open-pollinated corn, says County Agent H. W. Oslin. Experiment station tests show that, on the average, corn hybrids out-yield open-pollinated varieties by 13 per cent. That means that if a farmer's yield is 50 bushels per acre of open-pollinated corn he would gain 6½ bushels per acre by planting hybrid corn. One bushel of corn will plant approximately 8 acres, which means that on the 8 acres he would lose 52 bushels of corn. This 52 bushels at the present market price would mean a clear loss of $78.00. Due to the above figures can any farmer afford to plant open-pollinated corn in 1947 and lose this money on their farm.

Corn hybrids have other advantages than the inreased yield. For, instance, they have a strong stalk and root system that enables them to stand up better and withstand drought better than open-pollinated corn. Also, the standing up ability makes harvesting much easier, especially where mechanical harvesters are to be used.

Farmers in Princess Anne County are urged to plant a recommended variety of corn hybrid, and one that is adapted to our county, because if they don't they won't get the 13 per cent increase in yield over open-pollinated corn.

The varieties that are recommended for Princess Anne County are: White—Ky. 203, Ky. 72B, Funks 515W and Pioneer 510; yellows—U. S. 357, U. S. 262, U. S. 99, Funks 711 and Ill. 448.

Princess Anne farmers are invited to contact their county agent as to the varieties that are best suited to heir farms, and also for other information in regards to fertilizer, distance to plant, etc.

Injunction of Surf Club Owners Sought

Whether the Surf Club at Virginia Beach is encroaching on Fifty-seventh Street and a roadway designated on a plat of the property is a legal question before Judge Lawrence W. I'Anson, of the Portsmouth Court of Hustings, who is presiding in place of Judge Floyd E. Kellam, of the Princess Anne County Circuit Court, in a petition for a mandatory injunction brought by Mrs. Elizabeth Stuart James against the owners of the club.

Evidence in the case, the second to be brought in as many years by the complainant, was submitted some weeks ago, but the argument, schedyled for tomorrow, has been continued due to the illness of one of the participating counsel.

Mrs. James, who has a home on Fifty-seventh Street and owns adjacent property, is asking the court to issue an injunction forcing the club owners to remove any buildings now allegedly blocking the street, and also construction over a roadway designated on the plat of Ubermeer running north and south across the club property.

In answering the complaint, the club owners—listed as Katherine L. Lindsay and H. L. Lindsay, and Audrey H. Darden and Pretlow Darden—contended that the encroachment on Fifty-seventh St., which has a width of 40 feet, is only several inches, and that the street is not improved at that point.

The crossroad, it was pointed out, originally was planned to give owners of lots on the property now occupied by the club access to Fifty-sixth and Fifty-seventh streets and was never improved.

E. W. Maupin and W. L. Parker are representing Mrs. James in the action, while Richard Kellam and Williard H. Ashburn are attorneys for the club owners.

In 1945, a similar case, involving only the alleged encroachment on Fifty-seventh St., was brought by Mrs. James, but was subsequently dismissed "without prejudice" when alterations were made in buildings adjoining the street.

King Floral Co. Raises Rare Plant In Local Hothouse

The King Floral Company, on the Virginia Beach Boulevard half way between Norfolk and Virginia Beach, has enjoyed a large expansion under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. deKoven King.

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